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Charged With Murder.

TORONTO, August 5.—Mr. and Mr. Hancock, who were charged with the murder of their daughter, were up in the court again to-day. Mrs. Hancock was discharged. The case against her husband was proceeded with.

Pugilistic.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Col. McCarthy has issued a challenge to Geo. Dixon for another fight for $1,800 a side, provided that the Grant's club of Hoboken will add a purse of $4,000. The men to weigh 115 pounds.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

Another Illustration of the Bitter Hostility Against Jews in Russia.

Prorogation of the Imperial Parliament Till October—The Queen's Speech.

Rehring's Sea Negotiations — Newfoundland's Trouble—The Situation in Ireland.

A Jewish Outrage.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—There have been received here advices which give another illustration of the bitter hostility against the Jews in Russia. The last instance of virulent fighting occured at Elizabethgrad, a fortified town of 58,000 inhabitants, situated on the Ingool River, 130 miles north of Kherson. Among the inhabitants of the place are a number of Jews, who are engaged in the ordinary vocation of the people of the nation in Russian cities. The fierce hatred of the Jews entertained by the peasant population recently broke out, and several hundred farm laborers, small land owners and other agriculturalists of the vicinity marched into Elizabethgrad and proceeded to the Jewish quarter. The panic-stricken Jews, upon seeing the mob approaching, made wild efforts to conceal themselves, seeking refuge in out-of-the-way places of their quarters, and, in all possible ways, endeavoring to avoid coming in contact with the hostile crowd. Amid cries of "Kill the Jews," the infuriated countrymen rushed upon the trembling Hebrews. They attacked the Jewish shops and dwellings, driving the owners from them, and plundering them of all their valuables. What was not worth removing was destroyed by the mob. A few of the braver Jews resisted this looting of their property, but by so doing only made matters worse, as three of them were killed. Others for the same offence were severely wounded. Although the rioting lasted through three hours, the authorities, who were well aware of the outrages which were being committed, utterly failed to protect the persecuted Jews.

He is Bankrupt.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Marquis De Luiville, who has from time to time in the past acknowledged the soft impeachment of his betrothal to Mrs. Frank Leslie, despite that sprightly lady's denial that such tender relations existed between them, has been declared a bankrupt.

An Unfortunate House.

HAMBURG, Aug. 5.—The house of Von Have & Bros., bankers, of this city, have met with great misfortune. A deficit of 1,200,000 marks was recently discovered in their accounts, and the elder of the brothers has now committed suicide.

A Smart Bobby.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Despite the indignation of the public at the action of Constable Bradbury of Aldershot, in arresting Alice Lillard, a respectable young woman, and swearing that she was a wanton, the officer has been acquitted of the charge of perjury. The Pall Mall Gazette and the Star, and even the News, have taken great interest in the prosecution of Bradbury. Through these journals a large sum was raised by public subscription, to assist in the prosecution. The judge, before whom the case was tried summed up strongly against the accused, but the jury found in his favor.

Chicago Fair Commissioners.

BERLIN, August 5.—The Chicago fair commissioners had a conference to-day with Herr Weimuth, the Imperial Commissioners on the fair, and spent three and a half hours in arranging details as to the German exhibit. The space allotted to Germany will be equal to that devoted to the French exhibit. The commissioners visit the electrical exhibition at Frankfort, to-morrow.

Parliament Prorogued.

LONDON, August 5.—Parliament was prorogued to-day until October 24. The Queen's speech stated that relations of amity existed with all powers. Proposals to submit to arbitration the differences between England and the U. S. relating to Behring's Sea had been made. Negotiations on the subject were far advanced, but not yet concluded.

The French chamber has not yet approved of the agreement to arbitrate certain differences relative to Newfoundland, which had been signed this year. Various measures hitherto passed to secure observance of laws in Ireland, and to improve the general condition of the county had resulted in a marked abatement of offences, and in a considerable advance in prosperity. Famine had been averted through steps taken to cope with the distress. Hope was expressed that the measures adopted dealing permanently with the congested districts would, by fostering agriculture and stimulating the fishing industry, contribute largely to the prevention in the future of dangers that had menaced the well-being of Ireland. The speech concluded by expressing satisfaction with the passage of various local measures, which were named in detail.

THE SALMON PACK.

"The Salmon King" Gives as His Opinion that Hatcheries are Failures.

Mr. Ben. Young, who has just arrived from the Columbia River, estimates that the salmon pack there will be about 375,000 cases, this year, or a shortage of 75,000 cases on last season. The salmon are, on an average, the largest on record, and, after paying $1 each for them all round, the canners anticipate that they will be able to make a profit. As a rule, when the fish are so large they are not by any means as numerous. Most of the Columbia River pack goes to the United States market, but buyers are only purchasing to satisfy their immediate wants. This is said to be because the financial stringency makes it difficult for them to anticipate the rise in values, which is certain to take place, as the British Columbia pack also falls below the average. Mr. Young has large cannery interests in Alaska, but cannot give any estimate of the season's operations because of the lack of late mail advices. Two salmon vessels which were dispatched there this spring with cannery supplies were lost, but that fact will not materially affect the output as it was found possible to forward the material by other vessels. Mr. Young does not, however, think the Alaska pack will be as large as previously, as the canners there are limiting their operations. With respect to the work of the salmon hatcheries Mr. Young does not think that a single fish has at yet been taken which was produced at either the Fraser or the Columbia hatcheries, although those most likely to know estimated that they should have made their appearance this year. Indeed, he considers that both hatcheries have been total failures.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Sugar Must Advance.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—H. O. Havemeyer, president of the American Sugar Refining Co., said this morning that he did not expect that there would be any further reduction in the price of granulated sugar, which yesterday was put down to four cents a pound by Claus Spreckles. Mr. Havemeyer declared that the reduction was caused by the overstocking of the market, which had been going on ever since the tariff provision making raw sugar free went into effect. He expected to see, he said, a steady advance in prices from this time on.

Railroad to be Sold by Auction.

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—There is considerable interest in railroad circles over the sale of the Pacific Short Line railway, which will be sold at public auction, in Omaha, by the receiver, on September 1st. There is added interest in the matter from the fact that when a decree of sale was issued, some weeks ago, an attempt was made to suppress the document. There will be many bidders for the property. Two factions among the original stockholders are anxious to secure control of the road, and, in addition, the Chicago & Northwestern; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul; and the Illinois Central companies, are figuring on getting the line, which runs from Sioux City West through Nebraska for about 100 miles. In case the Chicago & Northwestern secures possession of the road it will not be built any further west, but will be amalgamated with either the Freemont, Elkhorn & Mo. Valley, or the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, both of which corporations are owned by the C. & N. W. The Pacific Short line has valuable franchises, and was organized to build from Lyons City to Oregon, to connect the line leading from Cligo to Sioux City with the Southern Pacific Co. Its route lays through the most fertile, agricultural and cattle regions west of the Mississippi River, and also taps the great Wyoming oil and coal fields and rich belt of deposits of precious metals, covering an extensive district. In case either the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, or Illinois Central gets the line it will undoubtedly be pushed westward at an early date. If completed according to the original plans, the Pacific Short Line will shorten the distance between Chicago and Ogden and Salt Lake City, and points west of these, by more than 125 miles, and make a short route through Sioux City, instead of *via* Omaha and Council Bluffs, as at present.

A Father Kills His Son.

PHILADELPHIA, August 5.—By an unlucky blow, struck during a quarrel, yesterday, J. Henry Jahke, a prominent West Philadelphian butcher, became the slayer of his only son and is now prostrated with grief over the sad affair. Young Jahke drank considerably yesterday morning and his father remonstrated with him for being under the influence of liquor. The young man resented this and became quarrelsome and as he was a powerful fellow his father picked up a piece of gas pipe to frighten him away. There was no intention on the father's part to strike his son; the gas pipe falling over the son's arm as he grabbed his father, striking him on the left temple. The wound was not considered of any consequence; but it grew worse and the young man died at midnight. The father was committed to await the action of the coroner. Mr. Jahke is one of the most prominent Germans in the city. He is connected with nearly all of the German societies.

Train Wrecking.

KALAMAZOO, Aug. 6.—A dastardy and successful plot to wreck a train was carried into execution, this afternoon, on the Grand Rapids and Indian railway, near Cooper, the first station North of Kalamazoo. The fated train was a through express, carrying the Mackinard and Chicago sleeping car, due here at noon. After leaving Cooper, and while the train was running at the rate of 35 miles an hour, Engineer Clark Snyder noticed what seemed to be an open switch a short distance ahead. He quickly applied the air brakes, but before the train could be stopped it ran into the fatal trap. The engine wheels caught in the rails and ties and stayed on the track, but the rest of the train went over an embankment 30 feet high. There were about sixty passengers on the train and twelve in the Wagner sleeping car. In the descent of the latter to the bottom it rolled over twice and finally rested right side up almost completely demolished. The trucks and wheels tore with terrific force through the bottom of the coach and the escape of the passengers from instant death, is nothing short of a miracle. Brakeman Conway, of Fort Wayne, though badly injured about the head, ran to this city for aid. A special train, bearing a corps of surgeons, went out, and, in an hour, brought the injured to the Borgess Hospital, while the injured are being cared for by the railroad men. The accident was caused by a deliberate plot to wreck the train. What seemed to Engineer Snyder to be an open switch, was a rail sprung from its place by the bolts being taken out. The condition of the nuts and bolts plainly showed this. They were not broken and the marks on the nuts and bolts plainly showed where the wrench had been used. The ties and spikes used in holding down the rails bore evidence of having been tampered with.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Census Returns for Victoria and Vancouver Possibly not Accurate—Mr. Earle Leaves for Home.

Another Opposition Test Defeated—C. P. R. Concession—Hon. Thos. McGreevy's Admissions.

How the Money Went—The Story of the "Admiral"—Release of American Fishing Vessels.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Aug. 5.—In order that there may be no mistake regarding Victoria's population, it may be well to forward to the department an official return of the geographical boundaries, showing clearly the additions to the city's area since 1881. The department has just discovered that, from the totals made up to a week ago, a certain added area has been omitted; therefore, the city's population requires to be increased by 700. It is said, also, that one ward of Vancouver was omitted through error, thus increasing the population of that city 1,200.

Mr. Earle leaves for home, to-morrow night. He thinks the back of the session is broken now. Col. Prior continues to hold the fort.

Mr. Charlton, on behalf of the Opposition, moved an amendment on going into supply, this afternoon, condemnatory of the Government's policy on the subject of timber limits. The debate was continued until midnight, when the amendment was negatived by 100 to 80.

The Government's proposals, relative to the cancellation of the North Shore bonds, brought down to night, mean a gift of a million dollars to the Canadian Pacific, but no loss to the country, as the bonds draw no interest. Neither will the company be bound to spend the proceeds to thoroughly equip the road and build elevators.

Hon. Thos. McGreevy admitted, to-day, that he had received $55,000 from Larkin, Connelly & Co., for political purposes, but not one cent for himself. It had been given chiefly for elections and to aid Le Monde newspaper. He acknowledged also that the steamer "Admiral" was his property, he had been driven into purchasing her. He went to New York to obtain the vessel for the St. Lawrence Navigation Co., the company had not the means to pay, and the boat was left on his hands. She only commenced to pay within the last three or four years. The annual Government subsidy was $12,500. The boat was sold to Nicholas Connolly last February. All the proceeds had gone to witness.

Lord Stanley has given orders to have quarters in the Citadel got in readiness, as he intends visiting Quebec shortly and residing there for some time.

Another large seizure of smuggled whiskey is reported from the lower St. Lawrence. Several schooners laden with contraband stuff have been captured this time.

The Government has ordered the release of several American fishing boats, recently seized by the fishery protection steamer Dream near Eastport, Maine, on the ground that the boats may have trespassed upon the Canadian fishing grounds unwittingly, with a fog prevailing at the time.

A SUMMER HOLIDAY

Very Pleasantly Spent in Two Continents by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bourchier.

Gossip of London Town—Poor Hop Prospects—A Flying Trip Back to Victoria.

Mr. Francis Bourchier came home, last evening, from the Old Country, where, with Mrs. Bourchier, he has enjoyed his summer holiday immensely. As is his habit, Mr. Burchier used his eyes and ears wherever he went, and he has, in consequence, an interesting budget of gossip with which to entertain friends at home.

The very first thing that caught his eye, on reaching London, was a copy of Lloyd's Weekly News, in which the following letter was given a prominent place:

A WARNING TO EMIGRANTS.

To the Editor of Lloyd's Weekly News:

SIR—I wish, through your medium, to caution intending immigrants or settlers from coming to British Columbia or Victoria. The whole of the Pacific Coast is overboomed, and all the land is held by speculators at high prices. There is no demand for male or female help, the Chinese do all the domestic and outdoor work, as well as labor on every large contract. Yours faithfully, X.

"Of course," said Mr. Bourchier, "I took it up. I wrote to the Standard, contradicting the statements flatly. I told the people of England that female servants were impossible to get—or next thing to it—and that first-class artisans could always find ready work, at good wages. The class not required is the clerk class. In all new countries there is, of course, a certain element that doesn't want to work, and, of course, their representatives are here. I explained this in my letter to the great London morning daily, and received a kind note of thanks from the editor.

"Who do you suppose was the first man I happened to meet on Oxford street? Why no other than Frederic Adderley, in all the glory of summer swelldom. Strange to say though he saw me, he dodged around a corner. I should have liked to have had a talk to him, too, and given him the regards of his Victoria friends."

"We had a very pleasant call at the Langham from Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Higgins. The former has made splendid progress at the Royal Academy of Music, and will make his debut on the professional operatic stage next season. I don't think he will be back in Victoria for some time to come."

"The latest London gag is that Sir William Gordon-Cumming is coming to New York to succeed Ward McAllister as leader of the 400—no topical song would be complete without this as the burden of it. Of course the COLONIST had full reports of the entertainment of the Kaiser in London. By the way, his reception at the Guild Hall banquet was the reverse of enthusiastic, and on his way to the banquetting hall his eyes were fastened on German socialistic placards directed against him."

Mr. and Mrs. Bourchier made a flying trip home. They left England on July 23rd by the City of New York—the twin sister of the City of Paris, one of the largest liners afloat—made close connection with the Northern Pacific, and reached home in 12 days and a fraction—the best trip from the old country on record. The crops in the old country are reported to be anything but promising; but to counterbalance this the Western and Northwestern States will have the best yield in many years, and the full capacity of all the elevators at Duluth, Chicago and St. Paul will hardly be sufficient to meet orders already booked. Everywhere in the States "Annexation" is the burden of conversation. The Americans, strange to say, seem to think that Canada is a ripe cherry just ready to fall into their mouths, and the majority predict that the fruit will drop within ten years.

W. C. T. U.

Eighth Annual Convention of the Provincial Association Held in Vancouver—Its Proceedings.

List of Delegates in Attendance—Presentation of Reports—Addresses of Welcome, Etc.

MORNING SESSION.

The eighth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of British Columbia was opened on Tuesday morning in the Homer street church, Vancouver. At an executive meeting which took place between 9.30 and 10.30, the programme was re-arranged, after which the roll of officers and superintendents was called and responded to as follows:—President, Mrs. Cunningham; recording secretary, Miss B. S. McDougall; superintendents, Mesdames Spofford, Johnston, Moore, D. McNaughton, D. Robson and Street, and Misses Bowes and Empey.

The president appointed Mesdames Spofford, Scoutler and Street a committee on credentials, who reported that Victoria was entitled to 9 delegates, Vancouver to 11, New Westminster to 11, Chilliwhack to 3, and North Arm to 2.

To the roll call of delegates the following responded:—

Victoria—Mesdames Humber, Siddall, Weir, McGregor, Shakespeare, Andrews and Moore; Misses Spencer and Leake.

Vancouver—Mesdames Thain, Shearer, McCraney, Betts, Corman, Maitland and Morrison.

New Westminster—Mesdames Hughes, Corgnan, Vass, Scouler, Major, Whiteside and Chadsey; Misses Wells, Major and Pearson.

Chilliwhack—Mesdames Chadsey, Wane and Marshall.

North Arm—Mrs. Nelles.

The president appointed Miss Bowes and Mrs. Thain a committee on courtesies.

The Nominating committee, Mrs. Spofford, Mrs. D. Robson, Mrs. Wane, Mrs. Nelles and Mrs. Thain, presented the following report:

On resolutions—Mesdames Scouler, Siddall, Johnson, Street and Sexsmith.

Devotional exercises—Mesdames Maitland and Shakespeare.

Memorials—Misses Bowes and D. McNaughton.

Evening meetings—Mesdames Shearer and Fraser.

Press reporters—Mesdames Weir, McGregor, Major, Wane, Betts, and Vergulyear; Misses Goodrich and McDougall.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

After singing and prayer, the minutes of the executive meeting were read and adopted.

After reading the rules of order by the president, Mrs. Spofford conducted a short parliamentary drill, which was both interesting and amusing.

Mrs. Scouler, of New Westminster, presented the report of the corresponding secretary, which was received and adopted.

The treasurer's report was also received and adopted.

Mrs. Street gave notice of an amendment.

EVENING SESSION.

After singing and prayer an address of welcome was read by Mrs. Maitland, of Vancouver, and responded to by Mrs. Weir, of Victoria.

Addresses of welcome were delivered by representatives of the I. O. of G. T., Royal Templars, Sons of Temperance, the clergy and the press.

The president's address having been read was on motion adopted.

After a collection the meeting adjourned.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

VANCOUVER, August 5.—It is rumored on authority that seems to be authentic, that the announcement made a while ago by Mr. Jay Ewing, American Consular agent, that he had sent in his resignation to Washington, is incorrect. The denial is said to come from Mr. Ewing himself, although many would like to hear from him over his own signature. As a result of the rumor, a movement is on foot to resuscitate the old petition for his removal.

Much regret is expressed at the resignation of S. S. Gere, the popular manager of the hotel Vancouver. Mr. Gere states that his action is due solely to personal reasons.

The E. P. R. Loans.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The loans which were made to the Union Pacific Railway Company were called in to-day, and for some time it was feared that the company would be unable to meet the demand for payment. A meeting of the directors of the company was held, at their office in the Western Union building, and after its adjournment it was stated that the loans had been met. It is understood that the loans were secured by the new collateral trust bonds, which had decreased so much in value that the lenders refused to continue the accommodation, but no official statement as regards this could be obtained.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Rumours of a Threatened Revolution in Mexico to Depose President Diaz.

Realism in Stage Acting Which Won the Admiration of a New York Audience.

Forty Thousand Veterans.

DETROIT, August 4.—This has been a proud day in the history of the G. A. R. It has witnessed the grandest parade in the history of the organization, and has made the twenty-fifth or "silver" encampment an occasion of grandeur and magnificence surpassing the fondest dreams cherished by its humble founder, Dr. Stephenson, of Illinois, twenty-five years ago. For six hours to-day, under a bright sun, 40,000 veterans tramped sturdily over the line of march, and such was the inspiration of the moment that even the feeblest of the maimed and crippled comrades found themselves adequate to the ordeal of the march. The firing of a salute from the United States steamship Michigan in the harbor announced to the waiting veterans at 10.30 that the command to move had been given by the commander-in-chief.

When General Veazey appeared before the reviewing stand the vast concourse of people clustered about the Campus Martius cheered themselves hoarse. The general reined up his charger and paused. General Alger and Detroit post, his escort, passed by him and drew up before the reviewing stand fronting it, with arms at "charge." General Veazey looked on with a gratified smile; then, lifting his hat gracefully from his brow, allowed his horse to pass with slow step before them. As he passed the reviewing stand every occupant arose to his feet. Foremost was General Miles, of the regular army, who had been leaning over bareheaded, with his white gloved hands knitted above his sword hilt. General Veazey reached the end of the post, and the veterans unfurled their flag and struck up a lively air and the crowd cheered once more. General Veazey then rode to the stand, and, dismounting, entered his box in front, and the Detroit post passed by. The parade continued toward the massive war arch. Besides the staff of the commander-in-chief, there were on the reviewing stand, Secretary of War Proctor, Secretary of the Navy Tracy, General Miles, Assistant Secretary of the Interior Bussey, two or three governors and half a dozen past commanders-in-chief.

Elevated Railroad for Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Jay Gould and other New York capitalists, who say they have $25,000,000 to put into a switch scheme, will build an elevated road in Chicago, connecting the west and south sides. An ordinance providing for building the road has been framed, accepted by the attorney for the capitalists, and is now in the hands of Mayor Washburn for consideration. The scheme is believed to have originated in the mind of Jay Gould, during his Western trip, a year ago. He was astounded at the lack of street carriage facilities in the most populous section of the city, and when he returned to New York he suggested to a number of capitalists that a Chicago west side elevated road would be a paying investment. They made inquiries and paid personal visits to the town, and sent out a number of their own experts to study the situation.

Everything was favorable, and a few months ago the capitalists, four in number, drew up a statement of their plans for the road, and sent it to Chicago. They desired to know from Mayor Washburn what conditions would be satisfactory to the city, and they said they preferred getting an ordinance on a straightforward understanding with the city rather than through diplomatic agents working with the council.

The mayor turned over the matter to Attorney Douglass and asked him to frame an ordinance which would meet all requirements of the law. Mr. Douglass completed this recently and it was sent at once to the New York men, who promptly accepted it. When it was returned to Chicago it was turned over to Mayor Washburn, who has it now. The railroad will use no streets. It will purchase its right of way, lot by lot, from owners of individual holdings.

Caused By Gambling.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 4.—The proceedings of the court martial appointed by the president to try Col. Chas. E. Compton, of the 4th cavalry, have been received at the War Department and will be forwarded to the president as soon as they have been reviewed by the judge advocate-general. Col. Compton was court-martialled on the charge of negligence in allowing his soldiers to break their barracks and kill a gambler named Hunt at Walla Walla, Washington. Hunt had shot and killed one of the soldiers in a dispute, which arose while gambling.

Robbed the Mails.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Henry E. Barlow, after robbing the mails for over a year, during which time his stealings must have amounted to several thousands of dollars, was arrested to-day by Capt. Stuart. Stuart has been working on the case for the past eight months, and the arrest is the most important one made by the post office department for a long time.

Duel in Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S.C., Aug. 4.—Chester, S.C., is in a state of great excitement over a duel, which took place on the principal streets last night, between E. B. Sligh, a prominent lawyer, and Robt. Jaggers, editor of Public Opinion. Sligh met Jaggers in front of the Public Opinion office and drawing a pistol covered him and administered a cowhiding. Jaggers retreated into his office and returned in a moment with a pistol and opened fire on Sligh, who returned the fire. Chief of Police Marshall rushed in to separate the combatants, and, thinking Jaggers was firing on him, opened fire too; for two or three minutes the street was full of bullets. Sligh was shot in the face and neck and is in a most dangerous condition. Jaggers was unhurt, although both Sligh and the chief of police emptied their pistols at him. The trouble grew out of an attack upon Sligh in Jaggers' paper. Jaggers has the reputation of being somewhat of the George Francis Train type. Sligh is a father, and has been engaged as principal in several duels.

The Silver Question.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The Journal of Finance's Washington special says: There are indications of an increasing tendency on the part of the administration to make overtures to the silver crowd, if it is shown, as westerners claim, that the silver bill will surely go through next session of Congress. Assurances have been given that it will encounter no executive veto. This is upon the authority of one of President Harrison's closest friends, a prominent Senator, who, like Harrison, has, since Congress adjourned, come to look at the silver idea with greater leniency.

U. P. Floating Debt.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Dow, Jones & Co. say: We are informed the U. P. floating debt is again causing trouble, and loans have been called this week, causing a drop in the stock.

He Gets $12,500 Damages.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—The Supreme Court to-day affirmed the judgement of the lower court in the case of Alex. H. Ingerman vs Austin D. Moore and Hirman C. Smith. In February, 1884, Ingoerman was employed feeding a buzz saw in the sawmill at Port Discovery, Wn., which was owned by defendants. While at work he undertook to pull some slivers from the side of the saw, when his hand was caught and was so horribly mangled that he lost his arm. He commenced suit in the Superior Court of this city to recover $25,000 damages, alleging in his complaint that defendants had no right to put him at such work, when they knew he had never run a saw before and was ignorant of the danger. He obtained judgment for $12,500, half of the sum he sued for. Defendants appealed the case to the Supreme Court, and Justice Works wrote a decision reversing the judgment and finding for defendants. The decision of Works was concurred in by Fox, Sharpstein and Thornton. Since the new court came into power, Ingerman also succeeded in getting a rehearing, and, this morning, an opinion was rendered, reversing the former decision and sustaining the judgment of the lower court. The opinion was written by Justice Dehaven, and was concurred in by McFarland, Garrout and Beatty.

Realism on the Stage.

NEW YORK, August 5.—The announcement was made to-day that Miss Maud Harrison, of A. M. Palmer's Co., is soon to become the wife of Edward Bell of the same company. When the Madison Square theatre closed its season, Miss Harrison announced that she was going abroad to obtain a recreation and also to secure some new costumes. She sailed a few days ago on the Umbria. Prior to her departure nothing was known of her engagement to Mr. Bell, even among her friends. The wedding, it is said, will take place next November. During the past season it has been Mr. Bell's pleasing task to make love to the charming comedenne on the stage. There has been realism and fervor in his acting which has been the admiration of the audiences. That his heart was in his work was evidenced by to-day's announcement.

Threatened Revolution in Mexico.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Rumors which have prevailed for some time concerning a threatened revolution in Mexico, for the purpose of deposing President Diaz, were in a measure confirmed by a passenger, who arrived here, yesterday, on board the steamer Yumuri, from Mexico. The messenger is a man of wealth and influence and has always been a warm supporter of Diaz, but for prudential reasons he does not want to have his name used. He said to a reporter that there was strong evidences of a coming revolution in Mexico. People are much dissatisfied, or are becoming so, with the administration of Diaz. He has been acting in a tyrannical manner for some time toward a certain class, and, of course, they are much dissatisfied. The speaker said he would not be surprised if a revolution broke out within the next sixty days. In anticipation of this outbreak, there had been recently large shipments of specie. These shipments were straws, showing which way the wind of public opinion was blowing. On board the steamer Yumuri, there was, at least, $399,000 of Mexican silver, which was being shipped to Bremen, and about $69,000 for Havre. This amount is unusually large, and is indicative of the feeling of uneasiness which pervades Mexican financial circles.

Will Chicago Have a Tower?

CHICOGO, Aug. 4.—President Baker, of the World's Columbian directors, to-day received a proposition by cable from Mons. Eiffel, the architect of the Eiffel towel, for permission to erect a tower on the grounds, the enterprise to be backed by French capital. The cablegram was brief, but set fourth that the tower would be superior to the one at the Paris exposition. President Baker cabled in return, that he was very glad to receive the proposition and would bring it immediately to the attention of the directors. The prospects are that the proposition will be looked upon most favorably, as there is yet time in which to build the tower.

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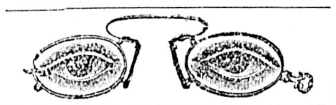

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C. E. MALLETTE,
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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above lot will be issued to Edward Benjamin Marvin on the 18th day of September, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
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16th June, 1891. je17-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."—Lot 18, in the City of Victoria. A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above Lot will be issued to William Wilson on the 24th day of July, 1891, unless in the meantime a vavid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 19, Block 12, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title the above Lot will be issued to Danie Fowler Adams on the 4th day of September 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Sub-division 1 of Lot 5 of Suburban Lot LI., Esquimalt District.

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5th May, 1891. my6-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 41 and 42, Block E, Victoria West, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above Lots will be issued to Richard H. McKay, on the 6th day of June, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Frederick Williams and William Arthur, on the 17th day of October, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the Registrar-General, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property or some part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 15th July, 1891. jly17 3m

NOTICE.
HAVING disposed of my Cooperage, No. 44 Wharf street, to Mr. A. Neaves, I hereby thank my patrons for past favors, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same for my successor.
JAMES BAWDEN.
Victoria, B.C., June 11th, 1891. je12 1w

NOTICE.
I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.
JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de18-

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the Rocky Islets in Esquimalt Harbour, fronting section 8, Esquimalt District.
J. D. HELMCKEN.
July 14th, 1891. 2m-jy17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sixty days after date we intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated at the mouth of Nass River, and at the entrance to Observatory Inlet, and described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner post of the Kincolith Indian reserve, and running 40 chains east along the northern boundary of said reserve; thence north 40 chains, thence west to the sea shore; thence following the shore in a southerly direction to the place of commencement.
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Mr. Coolidge Barnard and Mr. W. A. Edwards, of Boston, are in charge of the seventh Raymond-Whitcomb party, of this year, which arrived over the C.P.R. last evening, will spend to-day in admiring the many beauties of Victoria, and then go on to Alaska by the popular steamer, Queen.

This party, which includes several notable people — among them President Julius D. Dreher, of Roanoke College—started westward from Montreal about the middle of July, and have paid incidental visits to Banff, Glacier and Vancouver, *en route* to Victoria. The Canadian Pacific sleeping cars, "Mattawa," "Nepigon" and "Tokio," and the diner "Windsor," in charge of Mr. A. H. Magridge, have formed the tourists' special train on the first stage of their journey just completed.

After viewing the wonders of weird Alaska, the travellers will pay Victoria a second call, and then see what there is to be seen in Seattle, Tacoma and Portland, and along the picturesque Columbia. The homeward run will be over the Northern Pacific, and will embrace visits to the Yellowstone National Park, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chicago and Niagara Falls.

Below are published the names of all members of the party:

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Bell, Miss Laura, Philadelphia, Pa.
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Parker, Dr. M. G., Lowell, Mass.
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Pettee, Mr. Otis, Newton Upper Falls, Mass.
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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

POLO.

The return match, Victoria v. Esquimalt, will be played at Beacon Hill, this afternoon, the game commencing at 5 o'clock. The composition of the opposing teams is as before.

THE OAR.

McLean's race with Peterson, now near at hand, is the all absorbing topic of talk in boating circles. While Victorians almost to a man appear convinced that the Californian is far the better man, no one seems anxious to bet; recent boat races have been so "fishy" that a square race is hardly looked for, and the saying that its safe for no one to bet, but those in the ring, is becoming well worn. Could the Capital City sports be convinced that this race is not already arranged, plenty of Peterson money would be forthcoming. Those in the confidence of Paine, of this city, say that he will be only too glad to make a race with McLean when the proper time comes.

THE TURF.

The Victoria Jockey Club have a fine new iron barrel sprinkler, with a capacity of 1,000 gallons, at work on their track, which is being put in condition for the Fall races, under the direction of Supt. M. Sparrow. This early move is made so that the flyers, some of whom are already at the park, can get all the training desired. The club intends making great—and very necessary—improvements to the grand st nd, this summer, and the new stands for the judges and the press will also be erected in time for the Fall meeting.

LACROSSE.

A number of the Victoria lacrosse boys expect to witness the great match between Vancouver and Westminster, next Saturday, and will no doubt return loaded down with pointers, for use in the match here on the 15th. All arrangements for the game at Caledonia Grounds were completed at a meeting of the executive of the club here on Tuesday night.

CRICKET.

The first match with the Californians will commence sharp at eleven o'clock this morning, on the Beacon Hill grounds, the teams being as below:—

Californians—C. Lawrence, B. Clark, H. Hogue, of the Alamedas; B. Blagrave, A. S. Webster, E. Sloman, H. V. D. Sheppard, Wm. Robertson, V. Gadesden, E. Randall, and Douglas Keith, California Cricket Club; J. J. Sheobold, Pacific Cricket Club, and A. D. Reynolds, Burnaby C. C.

Victorians—C. E. Pooley (captain), C. P. Woolley, W. A. Ward, E. M. Marshall, P. Æ. Irving, Sir Robert Arbuthnot, Hon. G. Stanhope, P. Bayne, B. J. Perry, H. J. Martin and A. Scroggs.

IN CHAMBERS.

Before Mr. Justice Crease.

Baillie-Grohman v. the Kootenay Valley Co., Ltd.—Application for further time in which to deliver statement of defence. Consented to. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton for plaintiff; C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for defendants.

Annie Elizabeth Russell v. J. J. Russell—To postpone trial until after vacation. Stands over. C. D. Mason for petitioner; C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for respondent.

Harper v. Cameron—To fix day for trial by special jury. Trial ordered for 27th of October next, before a special jury. Costs in the cause. Lindley Crease for plaintiff; Wilson & Wootton for defendant.

In the matter of the real estate of Henry Harland, deceased—To confirm conditional sale of real estate. Dismissed; to be brought up again in the form of petition. C. D. Mason for the applicant; Lindley Crease for the purchaser.

Grove v. Doherty—For a stay of proceedings, pending appeal to the Full Court. Refused. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton for plaintiff; Wilson & Wootton for defendant.

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Beautiful Building Lot, Hillside Ave., corner, 100x100 2,000

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4 Lots, 2 Houses, garden, etc., Fernwood Road 3,500

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Lot and new 2-story 8-room house, bath and hot and cold water, &c. 2,850

92-5
¾ Acre, Esquimalt Road; good land; on car line. 2,650

88—5
2 Lots, Government St. North, and buildings.. 12,000

79—3
2 Lots, Johnson St. East; corner; good view.. 2,100

76—1
6 Acres, fronting the Arm; beautiful building site 12,000

Corner Lot, Douglas St., with buildings..... 50,000

66
160 Acres, new and modern house, improvements, garden, orchard and cultivated land, river front, good fishing, close to railway.. 12,000

1 Acre, Grass field, corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Richmond Road, on car line..... 3,000

112—1
2 Building Lots, part of Sub. Lot 54, Fernwood, each 650

113
2 Building Lots, Spring Ridge..... $1,000

112—5
Lot, Victoria West..... 600

110—2
House and Lot, Pembroke St..... 1,100

109—2
3 Houses, 3 lots, each 60x140; let to good tenants..... 9,500

104—3
153 Acres, good land, Quamichan Dist..... 650

105—1
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99—1
Farm plots near Ladner's Landing, sizes to suit, per acre..... 80

73 Acres Water Front on Burrard Inlet..... 8,500

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¾ Acre, Garden, House, etc., Russell's Station... 3,600

95—2
3,440 Acres, firstclass timber and farming land, in one or more lots..... 100,000

95—1
¼ Acre, South Road..... 900

93—3
176 Acres, Cobble Hill Station, per acre..... 15

58
100 Acres Farm Land, Salt Spring Island..... 2,100

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111
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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL COMPETITION.

To the Editor.—Some few days ago I met an architect who has been a resident here for many years, who showed me a copy of the conditions for the above competition, which, to say the least, surprised me, as although the committee only propose spending $150,000 for a stone cathedral, yet they are asking for plans not only from the architects in British Columbia but from all Canada and England. I am informed that the local architects petitioned the committee to make this a local competition, and offered suggestions as to how the Competition should be conducted, but it seems the committee simply ignored this and now ask for twice as many drawings as are required and which would cost any architect to prepare, at least $500, and this is too much for a $150,000 building to be built in three sections. It would appear to any thinking man that this committee have the idea that the architects who wish to compete for this costly structure have nothing else to do but to work to the glory and amusement of the committee who must think they know so much of architecture.

I am sure that the people of British Columbia would think it only fair that the local architects should have the first chance and then if they failed to submit a plan that suited, why then get plans from the outside world. I admit that the buildings in Victoria do not show much architectural skill, but I have seen drawings of several good designs displayed and know there are several new architects here, one of whom I knew when a pupil in England and who has made a special study of ecclesiastical work in Europe, and whose work for the last six years is well known on the Coast, and I am sure would submit a design that would be a credit to the city, but this young architect could not afford to waste so much time to compete under such conditions, and I endorse his opinion, as during an experience of 30 years practice in England, I have never seen worse, the nearest I ever knew being the Edinburgh cathedral competition several years ago, which cost $400,000, where labor and material are less than half the cost here. Trusting you will see your way clear to give this an issue and oblige A Visiting Architect.

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A PRAISEWORTHY ATTEMPT.

The members of the Farmers' Alliance are naturally indignant at the speculators in wheat, who have made time bargains at prices ruinous to the farmers. They have sold wheat, to be delivered in December, at 84 cents a bushel. The angry farmers are determined that they shall not be in a position to deliver the goods. The Alliance has issued from St. Paul eight hundred thousand circulars, in which the facts are forcibly represented, and the farmers exhorted to do all in their power to baulk the gamblers. The only way to do this is to keep their wheat until after December. This is how the circular concludes: "The extremely short crop in foreign countries, coupled with the increased demand and the absolute certainty that vast quantities of American wheat will be required to fill foreign orders, makes this a peculiarly auspicious time to put our plan, which is a simple one, in operation. It is all involved in these three words: 'Hold your wheat.'" We have very little sympathy with either the principles or the methods of the Alliance, but we do hope that in this attempt to outgeneral the wheat gamblers it will be successful. It has members enough to defeat the schemes of the speculators, but the question is, will they act in concert, and can they afford to hold back their wheat for a few months? There is still another important question to be answered: if they do act as the circular enjoins, is it at all certain that the price of wheat will be as high as they expect?

BAD POLICY.

When Mr. Howard Vincent addressed a meeting in Montreal on the objects of the United Empire Trade League, he was opposed by the Hon. Peter Mitchell. We are surprised to read that at such a meeting Mr. Mitchell was howled down. It might be thought that that meeting was composed of men who were too intelligent to believe that discussion in a free country could be drowned by the discordant noises made by a few impulsive people, and too tolerant to attempt to silence an intelligent opponent. There are everywhere hoodlums and impetuous and intolerant bigots, who think that they can injure a cause when they, by clamorous demonstrations, deny its advocates a hearing, but we did not think that those who favor fair trade in Montreal belonged to either of these classes. Mr. Mitchell's opposition might not have been in the best taste. It is not the fashion in these days to have discussions on lectures and addresses. No one is expected to criticise adversely what he has heard. A vote of thanks is proposed in a speech which is, from first to last, complimentary, and the audience, as soon as it is given, decorously disperses. This is the fashion of the day, and one which some think would be more honored in the breach than in the observance. Mr. Mitchell is, evidently, one of these. He thought that a little lively criticism might wake up the audience and throw some light on the subject. He may have been of the opinion that, though dullness may be respectable, it is not conducive to intellectual activity, and is not favorable to the spread of correct information. He, therefore, thought that a short speech from him might have a stimulating effect upon the audience. And so it had, but not in the way he anticipated. The meeting became more lively than it had been, but the liveliness was not of the right kind, and was not by any means creditable to those who exhibited it. It would have been better in every way to have allowed Mr. Mitchell to have had his say. He never makes a long speech, and five or ten minutes spent in listening to what he had to say would not have been by any means wasted. His being howled down showed that the fair traders of Montreal are neither as intelligent nor as tolerant as they ought to be, and their discourtesy and intolerance may have created a prejudice against Mr. Vincent and his views, which may produce unpleasant results at other times and in other places. The advocates and supporters of a new cause should do their best to propitiate the public and should treat opponents with consideration and courtesy.

A COURTEOUS CONTEMPORARY.

The Vancouver World is earning for itself the character of a common scold. It rails at its contemporaries in the most vixenish manner, and that too without the slightest provocation. It scolds us and calls us names because we have, in a modest and unpretending way, tried to do justice to Mr. Balfour. The Secretary for Ireland has proved himself to be not only an able statesman, but a kind and considerate friend of Ireland. His policy has met with a measure of success that was altogether unexpected. He has acted in such a way as to extort the admiration of even his opponents. Irishmen who were but a few months ago bitterly prejudiced against him are now loud in his praise, and even his avowed enemies are forced to acknowledge his ability and to admit that his policy has been productive of many good results, and is likely to be productive of many more. Everyone who knows anything about the way in which the affairs of Ireland have been administered during the last three years or so, knows that Mr. Balfour has been rapidly growing in public esteem, until now it is admitteed that he has but few superiors among the statesmen of Great Britain. And because we have said a great deal less than this our cultured and courteous contemporary stigmatizes us as "a Tory sycophant," and speaks of our change of tone not as an honest recognition of Mr. Balfour's universally acknowledged merit, but attributes it as a desire to please "the 'Sir' this and the 'Hon.' that—tin plate knights who have their *habitat* at the Capital." We do not know which to admire the most, the elegance and the correctness of our contemporaries' diction, the suavity of its manner, or the depth of its discernment.

AN INDEFINITE POLICY.

We are not at all surprised to learn that when the Liberals were forced in the discussion on Mr. Desjardin's resolution to define their policy, they did not acquit themselves even to their own satisfaction. As long as they confine themselves to generalities about the benefits to be derived from reciprocity, and the folly of such near neighbors as Canadians and United States citizens placing obstacles in the way of their trade intercourse with each other, their talk is calculated to make a favorable impression on their hearers. Almost every one on this side of the line is inclined to look favorably on reciprocity, and to deprecate unfriendliness and shortsighted selfishness in trade matters between the two countries. So far, Liberals and Conservatives think pretty much alike. But, when it comes to marking out a line of policy to be pursued towards the States, difficulties begin to appear. In the first place, it is well known that a very large proportion of the people of the United States are decidedly averse to reciprocity with the Dominion of Canada. "What is the good of free trade with such a country?" they say. "It produces precisely the same things that we are trying to find a market for, and, by letting in its products free, we are only creating a competitor for ourselves in our own market." This reasoning, whether sound or unsound, makes a favorable impression on the minds of the farmers of the northern and northwestern States, and they consequently warmly approved the McKinley policy of imposing duties that are almost prohibitory on Canadian agricultural products. These duties were imposed, too, after the Canadian Liberals had been for years agitating for unrestricted reciprocity and commercial union. Give us unrestricted reciprocity, begged and prayed the Canadian Liberals. The answer was the McKinley tariff, which raised the duties on nearly everything imported into the States from Canada, and imposed duties on commodities that had theretofore been free. After this almost insulting rebuff the Canadian Liberals keep on asking for unrestricted reciprocity, and declaring that the principal, almost the only, plank in their political platform, is free trade with the United States. When, therefore, the Liberals in Parliament are asked to show the country how they are going to get this unrestricted reciprocity from the Americans, they are naturally at a loss for an answer. Mr. Laurier, eloquent as he is, cannot keep out of view the fact that the Liberals cannot take one step towards carrying out what they declare to be their policy without the consent and co-operation of the people of the United States. This leader of a Canadian party is obliged to admit that he cannot begin to carry out his policy without first getting the consent of a foreign Government. And, yet, Mr. Laurier professes to be first, and before everything else, a Canadian. Then when he is asked is it likely that this consent will be obtained? he must answer that he does not know. Here then we have a Canadian policy depending upon the consent of a foreign nation to make it effective; and whether that consent is to be obtained or not is, to say the least, uncertain. It is no wonder that the structure which is attempted to be built on such a shaky foundation as this is as ricketty as a house of cards. The most ingenious builder in the world cannot make it strong and substantial. A clever architect may make it pretty, and children and unthinking persons may admire it but it can be destroyed by a breath. The Liberal party cannot define its policy for the very simple and sufficient reason that it depends upon the Americans whether it will ever take shape or not and, if it does, what form it will assume. It is not for Mr. Laurier or his party to say whether the American tariff is to be adopted as a whole or whether there is to be a sliding scale. They must take what the Americans will give them or get nothing at all. When Mr. Davies admitted that unrestricted reciprocity implied discrimination against Great Britain, he allowed what every intelligent man, whether he is Conservative or Liberal, knows must be the case. He knows that the Americans are not such fools as to enter into an unrestricted reciprocal trade arrangement with Canada, and at the same time leave it in the power of Canada to have a lower tariff than that of the United States. Here again we see that the Liberals must allow the Americans to give their policy the shape that best suits their interests. It is easy, when the very peculiar and the very undignified position they occupy is considered, to understand why the speeches of the leading members of the Opposition were indefinite, and why some of the less ingenious among them, fearing that they might commit themselves to some absurdity if they spoke, prudently declined to answer the questions put to them from the other side of the House. The truth is, the Liberals have not had for a long time, and have not now, a policy that can, with any approach to propriety, be called Canadian.

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VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL general meeting of the above society will be held at Sir William Wallace Hall, Broad Street, opposite View, on Friday, the 7th August, 1891, at 8 p.m., to receive the Secretary's half-yearly report, after which will be held the Nineteenth Drawing for an appropriation. (See your shares are in good standing.)

N.B.—A few shares on hand, which can be taken up by applying to the undersigned at his office, 46 Fort, corner Broad.

By Order,

A. ST. G. FLINT,

au1-td Secretary.

VICTORIA TURKISH BATH COMPANY

(LIMITED LIABILITY.)

AN ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at the offices of Thos. C. Sorby, 6 Bastion Square, on Thursday, 6th August, at 4 p.m., to elect trustees and pass by laws. a2-td

FOR THE AGED POOR.

The undersigned, to whom was referred the establishing and maintenance of a Home for the indigent poor of this city respectfully request donations of food clothing, furniture, bedding, periodicals, etc., which will be thankfully received.

Donations can be sent direct to the home at the old French Hospital, or may be left with the undersigned.

C. E. RENOUF,
J. HOLLAND, } Committee.
H.A. MUNN.

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VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R.—Regular Communication first Thursday each month at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets, at 7:30 p.m. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

ja31-ly C. DUBOIS MASON, W. M.

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WANTED—A situation wanted by a smart Christian young man, inside or out; having a good knowledge of book-keeping, &c. Address, "J. P.," this office. aug5-3t

WANTED—Girl to do general house work. Apply between 2 and 5 p.m. at 57 Collinson street. aug5

SITUATION WANTED by a farm servant who is well up in farming. Apply 194 View Street. au4 6t

WANTED—A situation in a Land Agent's office. Advertiser has had great experience in draining and reclaiming waste land; good accountant; or would manage an estate under superintendence of owner. Address, "Agricola," Colonist Office. au1-3t

REQUIRED—A situation as nursery governess, by an experienced young lady. Address "L. M.," Colonist Office. au4-3t

WANTED—A smart boy, not afraid of work, about 15 or 16 years of age. Apply this office. au2

WANTED — Teacher for Sahtlam school. Apply to Arthur Robinson, Duncans, B. C. jy29-6t

WANTED—Female cook. Apply between 9 and 12 a.m. at 153 Blanchard St. jy28-tf

WANTED—At the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, two ward maids. Apply at the Hospital. jly9-tf

WANTED—A General Servant. Must understand plain cooking. Good wages. Apply at No. 12 Scoresby St. jly21-tf

WANTED—A girl to assist in looking after four young children, and general housework. F. G. Walker, 18 and 20 Chancery Lane. jly21-tf

WANTED—A Book-keeper. Address "Z," Colonist office. jly23

WANTED—A matron for the Lying-in-Hospital and trained Nurses' Home for the sick poor. Apply between the hours of 10 and 12 a.m. to Mrs. D. W. Higgins, Regent Park. jy17-tf

TEACHER WANTED

FOR THE WEST SAANICH SCHOOL. Apply to

WM. THOMPSON,
Sec. School Board.
jy19-6t South Saanich.

LOST OR FOUND.

STRAYED—A light Bay Horse, white strip in the face, left foot white, branded S on same hip, to be sold in one week for damage if not claimed. John Irvine, Milkman, Cedar Hill. 6t

$5 REWARD—For information that will enable us to locate Andrew Wilson, former residence Jewish Cemetery Hill, Victoria. He is a laborer. W. H. Adams, Box 318, Victoria, B.C. jly22-1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

TO LET—Five roomed house at No. 2 Lewis Street, James Bay. Rent $18 per month. Apply 26 Rithet Street. au4-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at from $6 monthly, or by the day or week, next door to Fullerton's Boot Store, 103 Government Street. de7

TO LOAN—On mortgage in one month from date, about $12,000. Apply by letter to A. B., Box 78, Victoria. jy28

FIVE ROOMED HOUSE TO LET AND furniture for sale, cheap. Apply 18 North Park street. jy26-3t

FOR SALE—Lease and good-will of Sidney Island, with stock and sheep, or without, and all implements, wagon team, boats, &c. Apply James Graham, Victoria P. O., Sidney Island. jly24-1m-d&w

TO LET—A nicely furnished room, ten minutes walk from the post office, suitable for one or two gentlemen. Apply at this office or P. O Box 284. jly18-tf

TO LET—Convenient to car track on James Bay, one nice newly-furnished room, with use of bath. Apply 36 Toronto St. jly13-1m

TO BE LET—Furnished or otherwise—facing Oak Bay, and within 20 minutes of tram, a four-roomed recently built house; splendid scenery and excellent bathing. Apply "Oak Bay," Colonist. jly23-1m

IRON FOR SALE—20 tons cast and 30 tons wrought; the latter mostly suitable for small shafting. E. & N. Railway Office. jly18-tf

TO LET—At "The Turner," 66 Douglas street, corner view, new and very nicely furnished, light, sunny rooms, single and in suites. Two or three connecting rooms suitable for offices. jy17-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—Suitable either for a family or for single gentlemen. Pleasant locality. Apply 139 Pandora Avenue. je12-tf

TO LET—Two furnished rooms. Apply 28 Rock Bay Avenue. ap18

TO LET—FOR FOUR MONTHS, A PARTly furnished house, Head street, Esquimalt road; three rooms, with kitchen and dairy, on ground floor; bedroom and dressing-room and three bedrooms and bath-room on second floor; use of tennis court. For further particulars enquire of F. G. Walker, 20 Chancery Lane. je6

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$2,900 Six roomed house and full sized lot on Pandora Av., $1,400 cash, balance at 8 per cent. Apply this office. jy31

REMOVAL

H. CARMICHAEL & CO. have Removed from 52 to 32 Government St. jly24-1m

NOTICE.

Estate of Edgar Marvin, deceased, late of the City of Victoria, Merchant.

CREDITORS are requested to send in their claims and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to Charles Kent, Esquire, at the City Hall, in the City of Victoria.

Dated this 5th day of August, A.D. 1891.

WILLIAM THATCHER MARVIN,
au5-1m Executor.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, master of the British bark Serica, from Cardiff to Esquimalt, will not be responsible for any bills or debts incurred by any of the crew of said bark.

CAPT. J. SMYTHE.

Esquimalt, Aug. 4, 1891. au5

VACANCY for a few boarders. Day boarders at moderate rates. Revere House, 109 Pandora Avenue. au2-1m

PROVINCIAL CUSTOMS

IMPORTS—1890.

Nanaimo	$ 233,391 00
New Westminster	255,055 00
Vancouver	697,600 00
Victoria	**3,193,226 00**

EXPORTS—1890.

Nanaimo	$ 1,934,511 00
New Westminster	201,749 00
Vancouver	483,885 00
Victoria	**3,143,289 00**

DUTY PAID—1890.

Nanaimo	$ 48,885 00
New Westminster	60,231 78
Vancouver	153,725 75
Victoria	**815,663 67**

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

To Exchange

Houses for vacant lots, call at No. 9, Trounce avenue. *

No More Dancing at Oak Bay.

Under the new management of Mr. J. R. Berrie the pavilion will be run in a strictly first-class manner. The public are cordially invited. aug6-2t

Secured the Contract.

Mr. R. Crabbe has been awarded the contract for the erection of the new Bossi block, at a figure close to $20,000, and will commence work on Monday. He also expects to be called upon to build the new Kirke block.

Instituted To-night.

The officers and members of Milton Lodge, Sons of St. George, will open a new lodge of the Order in the Temperance Hall, Craigflower road, this evening, the ceremonies commencing at 8 o'clock. The new lodge has yet to receive its name.

Remanded.

Hattie Spaulding again made her appearance in yesterday's police court, this time bringing David Irving forward, on a charge of assaulting her. Several witnesses were called, but, as the evidence was not very strong, his honor remanded the case until this morning.

C. O. O. F., M. U.

Pride of the West Lodge, of the Canadian Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity, has arranged to give, on Friday evening, the 14th instant, a formal reception to D.D.G.M. Wade, formerly of Toronto. The proceedings will take place in Temperance Hall, Victoria West. Members will appear in full regalia.

A Narrow Escape.

On Tuesday last, two elderly ladies had a narrow escape from being seriously hurt. They were driving along Pandora street when the horse took fright, and ran fully the length of a block before being caught. That it was captured was a good thing for the ladies, who certainly would have been thrown out if the horse had reached the corner.

Will Work Together.

At a meeting of the B. C. Art Association, held under the presidency of Mr. Shrapnel, on Tuesday night, it was decided to hold an exhibition of paintings in the gallery of the Agricultural Association durthe days of the approaching fall show and fair. It is expected that the muster of pictures will be the largest and best ever made in the Province.

Properly Appreciated.

Numbers of people have called as was anticipated at George P. Jackson's, 68 Douglas, st., and secured the bargains in suits from $22.50 up, and pants from $5.00 up, many purchasing 5 and 6 pairs of pants at a time. We earnestly advise all who wish to save money in these hard times to see these goods. They are only going to be shown for a short time till the new fall goods arrive. tf

Electric Car Struck by Lightning.

A thunderstorm passed over the city of Portland, on Tuesday afternoon, during which, and just after a vivid flash of lightning, the armature of an electric car, on Second street, crowded with passengers, took fire, filling the car with smoke and causing passengers to vacate it in a hurry. The trolly was removed from the wire, and a few buckets of water put out the flames, and the car was able to proceed. It is supposed the accident was caused by the lightning.

Albion Iron Works Picnic.

The committee who have charge of the A. I. W. Picnic, at Chemainus River, on Saturday, August 8th, have secured special trains to leave and return as follows, for the convenience of picnickers:—

Leave Victoria	7 a. m.
" "	1 p. m.
Leave Chemainus	5 p. m.
" "	10 p. m.

Refreshments of all kinds will be provided on the grounds, but parties so desiring can bring their own baskets. Fare for the round trip only $1. 4t

The Steamer Victorian.

The steamer Victorian will not go on to the Victoria route for probably two weeks yet. She is at Tacoma, where a few changes, to insure her running steadily when she starts, are being made in her machinery. It is pretty generally understood that Captain Anderson, now of the Olympian, will take the command of her when Captain Troupe finishes with her. Captain Anderson will be succeeded by Captain McAlpine, of the Sehome, which will probably be laid up for a time.—Seattle Telegraph.

Making Ready.

Already the work of preparing the Assembly Hall for the forthcoming exhibition of the B. C. Horticultural Society and Fruit Growers' Association has commenced. The show will be duly opened at 3 p.m. on Tuesday next by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, and from the way entries are now coming in it is evident that the exhibition will be a good one. The hall will be open from 3 to 6 p.m., and from 7 to 10 p.m. on Tuesday, and from 2 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday; during the afternoons and evenings Prof. Pferdner's string band of twelve pieces being in attendance. Light refreshments will be obtainable at all hours. No charge is made for entries, and the necessary forms can be obtained at the office of the local secretary, 44 Broad street.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

There was a large attendance at the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee at the Board of Trade rooms yesterday, and various practical suggestions were made for augmenting the hospital funds. Amongst others, the following sub-committees were formed: Mrs. G. A. McTavish, Mrs. J. H. Turner, Mrs. R. B. McMicking and Mrs. A. J. Smith, to consider and report upon a proposed steamboat excursion. A committee of the whole to consider and report upon a social ball to be given in October. A sub-committee of two ladies for each month in the year was arranged to visit the hospital and arrange for sewing parties, to provide destitute patients with linen and underclothing, and also to provide cut flowers. The meeting adjourned until Tuesday next at three o'clock, in the same place, to receive reports and transact other business.

Parade on Saturday.

A general parade of the B.C.B.G.A. is ordered for Saturday evening next, in preparation for the outpost duty at Mount Tolmie. All hands are requested to turn out.

At Half Price.

H. Young & Co. not having room at the White House to stow away goods till another season, have marked down this summer's goods half price to insure a clearance. See the children's aprons and sun bonnets. w.s.s.*

Pleasures to Come.

Members of the Victoria lodges, I.O.O.F., are negotiating with the U.P.R. for an excursion to Seattle by the handsome new steamer Victorian, on the 22nd or 29th instant. The date will probably be fixed today. Another Saturday afternoon excursion by the Olympian is also talked of for the 15th inst.

The Best Time Yet.

A cablegram has been received from Hon. J. H. Turner, announcing his arrival in London in twelve days, eighteen hours from Victoria. Mr. Turner went from here to Seattle, where he took the Northern Pacific R.R., crossing the Atlantic in the White Star steamship Teutonic from New York.

P. O. Home.

The committee of the P. O. Home return thanks for the following donations during the month of July: Clothing, Mrs. Walby, Mrs. Morley; milk daily, Mrs. Harris; cake and sandwiches, a picnic party; vegetables, Mr. Lewis, Capt. Knight; 24 loaves of bread, A. O. U. Workmen; books, groceries, two sacks potatoes, friends; 58 tennis balls, Mr. Hayes.

The B. C. Grain Crops.

A good authority on the subject says that the cereal crop of British Columbia will be far in excess of anything in previous years. Particularly is this case in the Okanagon country, in which the yield of wheat is expected to be very abundant, the railway promising to give, at an early day, facilities for shipping it to market.

Will Visit This City.

The celebrated Italian premier dancers Mlles. Vincenzina and Concettina Chiten, from the San Carlos theatre, Naples, and the Apollo theatre, Rome, were tendered a reception at the Palace hotel on their arrival at San Francisco. They are under engagement to Manager W. J. Gilmore, and will appear in the ballets of "The Twelve Temptations," which will be seen in this city on the 14th of August.

All Is Not Gold That Glitters.

But here are a few figures: Five years I rented a house and have paid $30 a month, or $1,800. Lots then, in that locality, were worth $500; to-day they are selling at $1,200, so I am out just $2,500. But while there is life there is hope, and seeing that YOUNG, BARTLETT & Co., at No. 9 Trounce Avenue, are offering five to nine room cottages with from $1 to $5 cash down and $25 a month, 8 per cent. on deferred payments. 6m-jy18

Married at St. John's.

At St. John's church, last evening, at 8 o'clock, Rev. A. Beanlands united in marriage Mr. Harry T. Cole, proprietor of the Leland House, Douglas street, and Miss Mary J. Mavis, of Langley, B.C. Mr. R. Chipchase gave the bride away; Mr. J. Hollins supported the groom and Miss Lillian Mavis the bride. The happy husband and bride entertained a large number of friends at a reception given at the Leland, at 9 o'clock.

A Rumored Resignation.

Rumor has it that Mr. W. F. Archibald, for many years manager of the Victoria telegraph office, has handed his resignation to the division superintendent. In this event, the company and the public will both be losers; the former of a faithful and energetic representative, the latter of a gentleman who has never considered his own convenience in his efforts to please and satisfy the patrons of the line. Victoria business men would regret to see Manager Archibald retire from the Victoria offices of the telegraph company.

It was not Called For.

A year or so ago a syndicate was formed in this city by a number of residents, one of whom has since been carried to join the ever-increasing number who sleep at Ross Bay Cemetery. The facts of the case were not known to the clerk employed by the secretary of the syndicate, for that official contented himself with simply noticing opposite the name of the deceased, "Ross Bay," and the clerk accordingly sent out his notices to the gentleman at Ross Bay. It is needless to add that the letters came back from the post-office marked "not called for."

Donations to Old People's Home.

The committee of the City Council having the management of the Victoria Old Folk's Home, beg to acknowledge the following donations for the month of July:—Mrs. J. McCandlish, clothes; McMillan Bros., bread; Mayor Grant, tobacco; Daily Times, papers; Mr. and Mrs. Goodacre, clothes and books; Mrs. Butler, books; Mr. C. Perkins, onions; Mrs. Atkinson, books; W. & J. Wilson, clothes; Mr. Claxton, books; Mrs. McMicking, books, flowers and fruit; Mrs. Engelhart, clothes; Mrs. Wm. Dodd, onions; Mrs. McTavish, books; Mrs. Pangton, books; Mrs. Hamilton, jam; Mrs. Ordano, clothes, Mr. Fell, clothes.

Albion Iron Works.

At the Albion Iron Works is being constructed a 1,000-gallon tank and sprinkler for the use of the Victoria Jockey Club. In its construction iron has very largely taken the place of wood, which was formerly used for such purposes.

A nest of three boilers, 16 feet long and 5 feet in diameter, part of an order of twelve boilers for the Moodyville Saw Mills, is about ready to be tested.

The laying of a portion of the 24-inch water main on the Saanich road, is proceeding with expedition.

A caisson gate for the dry dock, at Esquimalt, is well under way.

New Designs.

New and elegant designs in jewelry, etc., at Jackson & Mylius, 76 Government St., Colonist building. *

New Books.

Canada and the Canadian Question, Goldwin Smith, $2.25.
My Danish Sweetheart, Clarke Russell, 50c.
Monsieur Judas, by Fergus Hume, 25c.
Pretty Miss Smith, by Florence Warden, 25c.
The Changed Life, by Drummond, 50c.
Harper's Magazine for July. For sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.
Hibben & Co's Pocket Map of Victoria, for 50c.
New Map of New Westminster, price $2.50, for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. *

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Many Matters of Business Attended to at Last Night's Meeting.

Sewerage Progress—University for Victoria Urged—By-Laws Passed—Franchise Granted.

At the regular meeting of the city council last evening, His Worship Mayor Grant presided, and Aldermen Renouf, Hunter, Robertson, McKillican, Smith, Holland and Munn were present.

The minutes of the last regular and of the special meeting were approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Robert Ward & Co.—In reference to sewerage, market and 4 per cent. corporation debentures, stated that they would not renew their bid on them, but would consider any proposition in regard to them from the council. Referred to the Mayor and Finance committee.

From Drake, Jackson & Helmcken re Capt. Simpson's claim for damages to his property, by the raising of the dam at Elk Lake. The Water Works committee to which the matter was previously referred, were allowed one week's further time to report, and clerk instructed to notify Drake, Jackson & Helmcken.

L. G. Henderson submitted an offer to take a correct census of the population of the city of Victoria, for the sum of $500. Laid on the table for further consideration.

J. Pierson submitted a communication, offering to take charge of the census, should the council desire to take it. Same disposal as former offer.

Application of J. W. Wilson for position of city carpenter. Referred to Street committee.

Poll Tax Collector R. Carter notified council that he had been ordered out of the customs house by Collector Milne.

Ald. Munn said that he had intended to bring the matter before the council. He thought that it was wrong and unjust for the collector to collect this tax from the sealers. Many of them had received but little money, and had really no more right to pay the tax than did tourists. Many of them who came here, merely stopped for supplies, proceeded on to sea and were now in town on their way home to the East. He thought that leniency should be shown. The matter was referred to the city barristers and Finance committee.

Robert Ward notified the Council that he had received an order by telegraph to tender 98 cents for the Agricultural Society debentures.

Ald. Renouf said that the offer should not be considered, as the tenders were offered at a previous meeting, opened and made public, and then laid over for one week. This placed Dalby & Claxton at an unfair advantage. That firm should either be awarded the debentures or new tenders should be called for. He moved that the tenders should be received and filed and that Mr. Ward be notified that the council cannot at present entertain the tender. The motion was seconded by Ald. Holland, aud carried.

Sewerage Engineer Mohun submitted his report on the progress of the new sewerage system, it was as follows:

SEWERAGE REPORT.

August 5th, 1891.

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to report as follows upon the sewerage works now being executed by Mr. A. McBean for the Corporation:

The whole of the works completed, or partially completed, are portions of the outlet the Humboldt and Cook streets mains, the three principal sewers of the city.

No work has been performed on the laterals, hitherto owing to the lack of small pipes.

OUTLET MAIN.

A channel, 240 feet long, averaging five feet deep, has been blasted through the solid rock from H.W.M. seawards, for the reception of the outfall pipes. From H.W.M., running inland, a trench has been dug for the main outfall sewer through earth, hardpan, and rock for 690 feet, averaging fifteen feet deep, to the entrance of the tunnel.

The tunnel has been driven 989 feet, of which 584 feet were in earth, 180 feet in hardpan and 125 feet in rock. Six shafts, for man-holes and ventilators, have been sunk through earth and rock to the tunnel from twenty to forty feet deep. Beyond the tunnel, on Moss street, 450 feet of trench have been cut to grade from ten to twenty feet deep, in which the concrete portion of the sewer, for a distance of 411 feet, has been constructed, and 50 feet of brick arch.

On Snowden street the trench, with an average depth of 9 feet, has been dug, and the concrete portion of the sewer laid for about 1,960 feet, and about 60 feet of brick arch laid.

On Cook street, the trench has been dug 1,609 feet in length, an average depth of 8 feet, and about 400 feet of concrete sewer built, exclusive of brick.

COOK STREET MAIN.

The Cook street 18-inch main has been laid, on Cook street, for about 1,900 feet, and the manholes excavated ready for concrete.

On View street, 180 feet of pipe have been laid.

HUMBOLDT STREET MAIN.

On Humboldt street, 877 feet of 20-inch pipe have been laid; a considerable quantity of rock has been encountered here.

On Johnson street, 251 feet of 20-inch pipe have been laid. Considerable difficulty was encountered on Store street in obtaining a solid foundation for the pipe, through the filling of the Johnson street ravine; a narrow concrete arch was thrown across, on which the pipes rest. On Store street 360 feet and on Chatham street 600 feet of 18-inch pipe are in place.

Through the rock on Humboldt street three shafts have been sunk to grade, about 17 feet deep, and from 50 to 60 feet of trench; all this through hard rock. Several hundred feet of trench are in a more or less forward state.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
EDWARD MOHUN,
Sanitary Engineer.

The report was received and filed.

Deputy Provincial Secretary A. Campbell Reddie notified the council of Mr. A. L. Belyea's confirmation by the Government as police magistrate. Received and ordered spread on the records.

Dalby & Claxton notified the council that their offer for debentures, which was deferred for action, was not a continuing one, and that should it be hereafter accepted, they would reserve the right of awaiting confirmation from the clients for whom they acted. Tabled.

Permission asked by James Wilson, superintendent of C. P. R. telegraph, to erect telegraph poles along Government, from Pandora to Trounce avenue, after which they would take down the other poles. Referred to Street committee, with power to act.

PETITIONS.

The following communication with reference to the establishment of a university in this city was received and read:—

VICTORIA, B. C., August 4th, 1891.

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

Whereas at a meeting of citizens interested in higher education, held in the City Hall on Monday 6th July last, it was unanimously agreed that in view of the action of the Members of Convocation on the mainland in refusing Members of Convocation on the Island any voice in the governing body of the proposed Provincial University, and the impossibility therefore of looking for harmonious working under these conditions, that immediate steps should be taken to secure the establishment of a university in this city, where it is so much needed and would be so highly prized;

Whereas, the said meeting appointed the undersigned a committee to take the necessary steps to carry out the above resolution,

And, whereas the committee are of opinion that no more important step in the interests of the progress of our city has been brought before the Council;

Your petitioners humbly pray that a by-law be put before the people, at the earliest possible date, for the sum of $50,000 towards the building fund of the university.

Your petitioners would respectfully call the attention of the Council to the following facts, which they believe would amply justify them in granting the prayer of the petition:—

First—The proposed gift will enable the committee to proceed at once with the erection of such portion of the University building as will suffice for present needs.

Second—That this grant from the city will probably ensure the gift of an eligible site within the city limits.

Third—That this grant will greatly enhance the reputation of the city as a place of residence, and tend to the rapid increase of our population, and to ensure the maintenance of Victoria's present position as the legal, medical, scientific and educational centre of the province.

Signed: C. E. Renouf, Chas. Hayward, W. J. Macauley, N. Shakespeare, P. McF. Macleod, G. L. Milne, M.P.P., and J. N. Lemmens.

Mayor Grant and Ald. Renouf urged the importance of meeting the committee and discussing the matter, and Friday evening next was appointed by the Council to meet the committee and other friends of higher education for the purpose of giving the matter consideration.

The accounts against the city for the month of July were read and referred to the Finance committee and ordered paid if found correct.

BY-LAWS.

The by-law to fix the salary of the police magistrate was read a first time.

The consideration of disposal of Agricultural Association debentures was taken up and referred to the Finance committee with power to act.

The by-law for the sale of the Deluge Engine house property on Yates street was ordered placed before the people to be voted on, and August 18th was set apart as the day for the election.

The by-law to raise $50,000 by debentures, for the purpose of increasing the Electric Light plant of the city and extending the same, was called for a second reading. It was ordered placed before the ratepayers on August 18th next. The by-law to take effect October 1st.

The cemetery by-law, raising by loan $10,000 for cemetery purposes, was read a second time. The debentures run 20 years and bear interest at 5 per cent. Ordered to the vote of the ratepayers on August 18th.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

For the purpose of considering the by-law for the creation of a district telegraph and messenger service, the Council went into a committee of the whole. The by-law was read. It provides for the erection of poles and the extension of its wires throughout the city, and prescribes the methods by which work shall be done.

Mr. Benj. Springer, one of the promoters of the proposed service, was present, and explained his proposition to the aldermen. He stated that for the system a small, well-insulated wire was used, and was stretched from building to building. The call boxes were placed in various business houses. The company had secured the privilege from the Telephone company to use their poles, if necessary, and did not intend to erect any poles, except in outlying districts of the city, and then only such as were absolutely necessary.

Ald. Hunter stated that the clause of the by-law which provided that the city could not compel the company to put their wires underground, unless other companies were notified at the same time, should be changed.

Ald. Hunter's suggestions were acted upon, and the by-law was changed accordingly.

The committee then rose and the Council re-assembled.

The by-law then received its second reading and was passed.

REPORTS.

The various committees submitted their reports, which were adopted.

The cost of operating the home for the aged and infirm poor, as reported by the committee, was for July, $201.51. There were fourteen inmates, one of whom died. The committee recommended early action towards the erection of a home on the ground donated by R. P. Rithet, as there were others who needed the accommodations of the home.

RESOLUTION.

Ald. Hunter introduced the following resolution, which was seconded by Ald. Robertson:

Whereas, It has been represented to this Council that the collection of the $3 school tax from men on the sealing vessels which are returning to this port inflicts injustice and hardships upon many.

And whereas, A doubt exists as to the legality of collecting the said tax in such cases.

Be it therefore resolved, That the Finance committee be requested to instruct the collector of the said tax when in their opinion injustice or hardship is inflicted on the parties from whom the tax is sought to be collected, or when in their opinion a doubt exists as to the legality of such action.

The resolution was tabled pending the decision of the city barristers, to whom the question had previously been referred in the matter of Collector Carter's letter.

The Council adjourned at 11:30 o'clock.

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AMUSEMENTS.

TORONTO EXHIBITION.

MR. SAMUEL O'KELL has been appointed by us to collect exhibits to be sent with the Provincial exhibit at the Toronto Exhibition. We solicit for him the co-operation of all those interested in having this portion of British Columbia thoroughly represented at the Exhibition.

All non-perishable exhibits received will be returned in good order and condition, and any instructions as to their disposal will be faithfully carried out. Parties having exhibits of Agricultural, Horticultural and Industrial Products, Specimens of Minerals, Manufactures, Art, Fisheries, or anything that will illustrate the capabilities of this Province are requested to notify the committee, who will attend to the collecting.

Exhibits may be left at the Assembly Rooms, Fort Street, where a competent person has been placed in charge to receive them.

C. E. RENOUF,
H. A. MUNN,
JOS. HUNTER. } Committee.
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SEALED separate tenders are required by 12 o'clock noon of Monday, August 10th, for the building of Poultry House, Fences, Stables and Cattle Sheds for the B. C. Agricultural Association.

Plans to be seen at the offices of the undersigned.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CORNELIUS J. SOULE,
Architect.
aug5 Turner Block.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are required for excavating for cellars on Douglas Street, by 5 p.m. of Wednesday, Aug. 5th. Particulars to be obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CORNELIUS J. SOULE,
Architect,
au4 Turner Block.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until Friday, 4 p.m., 7th August, for the erection of a frame addition to School House, Victoria West.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
Architect.
Government St., Aug. 1, 1891. au2

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, Aug. 15th, inst., at noon, for the erection of the new Driard Hotel.

Plans may be seen after Tuesday, 4th.

Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE,
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CLEVERLY CAUGHT.

Detective Rogers Used the Right Bait to Draw Ahlefelt Back to California.

The True Story of the Innocent Scandinavian Farmer—Where His Cash Came From.

Every one who reads the newspapers will remember the case of Chris. Ahlefelt, who, as soon as he had disembarked from the San Francisco steamer, a few weeks ago, had two of his fellow-passengers arrested for cheating him out of his hard-earned savings at a game of cards.

The accused "sure thing men" were arrested by Sergeant Langley, to whom Ahlefelt told a pitiful story, assuming the role of a lamb-like rustic, coming here to take a farm, and, owing to his limited acquaintance with the ways of the wicked world, falling an easy victim to the bold, bad gamblers he met on the Umatilla. It is true that Ahlefelt admitted that he thought he had a "sure thing" himself, and would have said nothing if his plans had not been defeated; but his story was believed, and the police were just a little astonished when the case came up on remand, to find that the prosecutor had disappeared. He has not been seen in Victoria since, and the gamblers, after spending a week in jail, awaiting his return, were liberated.

Now it is apparent why Ahlefelt did not return, and the San Francisco papers throw a new light upon his rustic character.

On Saturday last, the trial of Chris. Ahlefelt, alias Charles Adler, on a charge of embezzlement, was begun in Judge Troutt's court, San Francisco. The defendant, who claims that his full name is Charles Ahlefelt Anderson, says the Examiner, is the man who procured the insertion of the following advertisement in a California morning daily on May 24th:—

A WEALTHY GENTLEMAN AT PRESENT travelling in California, who owns a large estate in Europe, wishes the acquaintance of a young lady or widow of some means, with a view to matrimony; one who will appreciate a good home and a kind husband; only those who are honorable and true need answer; for such a bright future is assured; full name and address required; others will not be recognized, as this is strictly confidential and honorable. Address, GENTLEMAN.

To this advertisement, Ahlefelt received no less than 59 answers, one of them being from Emily Schorkopf. With this young woman he entered into correspondence, soon meeting her personally and becoming well acquainted. The result of the acquaintance, according to the statement of the prosecution, was that she entrusted him with $300 belonging to her, with which he decamped for Victoria. This was the money that he alleged to have saved from long years of hard work at the plow, and a part of which he "dropped" in the card game on the Umatilla.

Shortly after his departure from the Bay City, Miss Schorkopf learned that Ahlefelt was a married man, and, becoming convinced that his vows were empty ones, she placed the matter in the hands of Detective Rogers. With her permission that gentleman concocted a touching little telegram, in which Ahlefelt was affectionately entreated to return to San Francisco, the concluding line of the dispatch being the important part of it. It read:

I need your advice and assistance particularly now, as mamma has given me $500 more.
EMILY.

Back he came on the wings of the wind, and then hurried to the Golden West Hotel, where Miss Schorkopf was stopping. There he rushed into the arms—not of the fair and gentle Miss Emily, but into those of the affable Detective Rogers.

"Where's that $300?" remarked Rogers.

"What $300?"

"Miss Schorkopf's. Dig it up if you've got any of it left."

Ahlefelt went down into his pockets and brought out $140 and some odd dimes and nickles.

"I haven't got the rest with me," he said.

"Where is it?"

"I was swindled out of it."

"How?"

"Gambling."

"All right; take a walk down Kearny street with me."

Forthwith Ahlefelt was placed under arrest.

This was, in effect, the story told in the witness box by Detective Rogers and Miss Schorkopf, the latter being a rather brightly colored and brilliantly clad young woman; but Ahlefelt, when testifying in his own behalf, told a very different tale. He stated that he was a machinist and carpenter by trade, and acknowledged that he had a wife living at the time he inserted the matrimonial advertisement, but said she was an inmate of the Napa Lunatic Asylum. This statement was afterwards disproved, and it told strongly against the prisoner. Continuing his testimony, Ahlefelt said that his liking for "Emmie" was an honest one—and he had never had the slightest intention of deserting or defrauding her. The $300, he declared, she gave him of her own free will, and the portion returned he gave back willingly.

The jury was very little impressed with his story, and very promptly returned a verdict, finding him guilty, as charged. The sentence was two years, at San Quentin.

EXPLORATIONS IN ALASKA.

Fixing the Boundary Line—Moose Meat and Turnips Make Men Fat.

(San Francisco Chronicle.)

The steamer St. Paul arrived July 30th, with the Turner survey party, who have been going over the boundaries of the United States and British Columbia on the Porcupine river in Alaska. The result of their surveys gives the United States 30 miles more of river than formerly. This makes the boundary line 210 miles above Fort Yukon.

Dr. W. V. Kingsbury, of the J. E. McGrath surveying party, which went north to re-survey the boundary line of the United States and British Columbia on the Yukon river, came down on the steamer. No deviations were found in the previous survey. J. A. French, of the same party, also returned. The remainder of the party are expected to arrive next September, if they are fortunate enough to catch a steamer.

"We were located on the Yukon river," said Dr. Kinsbury to a reporter, last evening, "at a point called Forty-mile Creek. There were eight in our party, all told. Reports, I understand, were sent out that we were in a starving condition, and that our only food was moose meat and turnips. The latter portion is correct. Everyone, however, with but one exception, got fat on this diet, and the odd man did not lose any flesh, as I can truthfully state. There was not a single case of sickness all the time I was in camp.

"The first winter we were out was the most severe. It was considered nothing when we took our observations, when the thermometer did not go under 35 deg. below zero, and it frequently went down to 50. One's breath on the telescope glass would frequently freeze as thick as a quarter of an inch.

"The gold mines near Forty-mile Creek are very rich, but it takes nearly two years to develop them so that paying dirt can be got at. The ground freezes to a depth of several feet, and is like solid rock to clear. One nugget taken out a year ago from a three-year-old claim was worth $52. Smaller nuggets are very common. Some of the miners have been in those regions for the past seven years. They seem to make it pay, but their life there really unfits them for returning to civilization."

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

VISIT OF THE FRENCH FLEET.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The French fleet is to arrive at Spithead, on the morning of August 20, and in the afternoon the Queen will receive the officers at Osborne, and they will dine with Her Majesty in the evening. On the morning of the 21st, the Queen, accompanied by the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, and Duke of Connaught, will pass around the fleet in the royal yacht Albert. The Prince of Wales is to leave for the continent, according to present arrangements, on the evening of August 16, direct from Hamburg. He will remain in Hamburg until September 5, and then proceed to Denmark, to visit the King and Queen at Fredburg, where the Princess will already have arrived.

ORDER OF THE BLACK EAGLE.

Emperor William offered to make Lord Salisbury a Knight of the Black Eagle. There never was any idea of the Prime Minister's accepting the order, for, by doing so, he would have created embarrassing and undesirable misapprehensions in every court in Europe. Moreover, the Queen must have returned the compliment by giving the Order of the Bath to Caprivi, which would have strengthened the impressions abroad, which it was the object of Her Majesty and Salisbury to remove.

The only statesman who was ever made a Knight of the Black Eagle was the Duke of Wellington, who received the great Prussian order from Frederick William III. after the battle of Waterloo.

MUZZLING THE PRESS.

The consideration of nearly 100 cases of what is called an outrage to the emperor are pending in Germany, and their increased number excites wide-spread uneasiness. Several new charges have arisen out of the recent slight accident on board the Imperial yacht, one of them appropriately enough having been exaggerated by foreign papers. They are, as a rule, disposed of by a brief term of imprisonment, but they are calculated to make the existing regime very unpopular.

A SICKLY PRINCE.

Crown Prince of Portugal, a weakly child of four years, is suffering greatly from a severe illness. His father, who has increased in weight to an alarming extent since his accession, is advised very strongly by his physicians to make a visit to Carlsbad, but the political and financial complications of Portugal render it impossible for him to quit the kingdom.

ANOTHER ROYAL VISITOR.

Before the year is out England is to welcome another royalty in the wealthy Maharajah of Mysore. His departure, however, is attended by some difficulty. Certain priests in Southern India have been deputed to study the abstruse questions involved in the project before the Maharajah imperils his caste by crossing the black water.

DEATH OF A FAMOUS CHARACTER.

One of the most familiar characters in Parisian musical circles has vanished forever. Countess de Chambrun was a personal friend of every singer who has won success during the last 40 years, and she devoted large sums, for she was wealthy as well as Wagnerian, in the organization of musical performances in her magnificent music room, with her own maitre de chapelle, Mme. Colonne, as conductor. Nilsson, Melbai, Unzande and Conneau have been among her latest favorites, and she patronized Bach and Handel as well as Wagner. Her trunks were already packed for that yearly pilgrimage to Bayreuth, which she never missed, when she caught a violent cold which carried her off.

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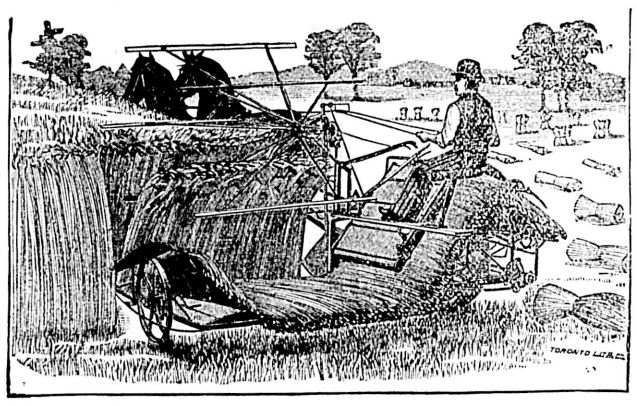

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CHEMAINUS	9.36	4.12
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Miles from Victoria	73	73

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WM. C. WARD,
Victoria, B.C., June 1, 1891. Manager.
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THE MEXICAN ARMY.

Why the Strict Enforcement of Discipline Is Necessary.

Its Ranks Contain Many Criminals, Who Are Summarily Dealt with in Case of Insubordination—A Military Penal Institution.

The discipline of the Mexican army is not tempered with mercy. The dispatch from Juarez which stated that four Mexican soldiers who had taken part in a mutiny would be shot the next morning occasioned no surprise to people who know how summarily the Mexican government deals with cases of that sort. A mutinous soldier stands very little chance of his life if the commanding officer thinks he ought to be shot.

Although this rigid enforcement of discipline may seem harsh to Americans, it is, says the Denver Republican, in probably a majority of cases, necessary in Mexico. The Mexican army is composed chiefly of Indians. Indeed, by far the greatest part of the Mexican population is either of pure Indian blood or of Indian blood mixed with that of some other race. There are very few full-blooded whites in Mexico. Soldiers like those which compose nearly the whole of the Mexican army have to be dealt with very rigidly in order to maintain discipline.

The Mexican army is a kind of penal institution in this, that a great many criminals who are not shot are forced into the army. It was in this way that brigandage was stopped in that country. The leaders of the brigands were given offices in the army and their men were forced into the ranks. Although this broke up the lawless bands, it introduced a very dangerous element into the army, which can be held in check only by the most rigid methods.

In Italy and Russia the army is looked upon as a kind of school for men of the lower class. They are taught obedience, and a national spirit is developed in them by their connection with the military arm of the government. They are withdrawn from local associations which might weaken their attachment to the government, and they are taught to look up to the authority of the nation as their guide. The maintenance of an army for such a purpose as this would be wholly contrary to good policy in a highly civilized country. But in Russia and Italy it serves a good purpose, and what is true of those countries is, particularly, true of Mexico.

The Mexican army amounts to about thirty-one thousand officers and men. It is completely under the command of President Diaz, who can use it as he pleases for the maintenance of his authority and the preservation of order. If it were not for the army Mexico would probably break out in a revolution in a very short time, because there is a strong element of opposition to Diaz among the people.

An arbitrary government is better than no government at all, and although the government of Diaz is very much like a military despotism it is the best government that Mexico ever had. It is stable; and if he and his successors shall maintain a government of this sort for the next twenty-five years, Mexico will by the end of that time have advanced so far that the people will be able to appreciate liberty in something like the American understanding of the term. But this would be impossible without the aid of the army. Indeed, it would be better to raise the army to one hundred thousand men rather than reduce it to a force too small to hold the revolutionists and the lawless characters generally in subjection.

WOMEN AS FUR BUYERS.

As a Rule They Have But a Limited Knowledge of the Goods.

Very few women have any practical knowledge of furs, declares the Brooklyn Eagle. The buying and selling of skins have been principally the business of shrewd, sharp men, but in one of Brooklyn's stores there is a young woman who can tell you at once the quality of the skin in question. She has much practical knowledge of the goods she handles and it very often happens that customers ask for her, feeling great confidence in what she tells them. This girl not only took the prize for having sold the largest number of garments through the holidays, but has also just taken a very large order, perhaps the largest single order ever taken in Brooklyn or possibly New York. Moreover, the garment is for a Brooklyn woman, to be of cloth lined with silver tipped Russian sable, the linings alone to cost one thousand four hundred and eighty dollars. It is to be worn next winter. It is a well-known fact that the price of furs is continually on the increase. A buyer of skins says that he has just paid fifteen thousand dollars for the same number of skins which last year at the same time cost the firm only eight thousand dollars. At this rate furs will soon be a great luxury. They are not so extravagant, however, as it at first appears, for often linings or sets, well kept, are handed down as heirlooms through several generations. A woman who took her grandmother's two sets of mink—tippet, muff and cuffs—and made them into a fancy floor mat, was inclined to regret the proceeding when told the first of the winter mink was to be fashionable, but mink as a wearing fur has not been a success. The furs look quite as well made into a hearth rug as they would have done made over into a cape.

A Small Deposit.

The smallest deposit ever made in Wichita, Kan., was that of the postmaster, who placed one cent to a special account of a Camanche county postmaster in the Wichita national bank, who, in his quarterly settlement last fall, was found short that amount. The department will be duly notified of the credit made. The second assistant postmaster general will notify the auditor of the treasury, and in turn will demand a receipt from the treasurer of the United States at New York, who will send this receipt in triplicate to the postmaster general, the treasurer of the United States and the Camanche county postmaster.

ARNOLDI'S EVIDENCE.

Another Official Got Boodle and Presents.

OTTAWA, July 28.—At the public accounts committee meeting this morning Gobeil, Deputy Minister of Public Works, questioned by Col. Amyot re the Bancroft signatures to the Kingston graving dock contract, said he remembered three gentlemen coming to sign the contract; two of them he knew to be the Connollys, the third was introduced to him as Bancroft by one of the Connollys. He did not know Bancroft. Gobeil added that as far as he knew no cheques for tenders were received by telegraph.

Arnoldi, chief mechanical engineer of the public works, admitted that the account for $500 in the name of J. R. Wilson, Montreal, for services of the yacht "Joe" in the fiscal year 1889-90 was made out under his own directions. After Wilson signed the receipt he always returned the cash to witness. Continuing, witness said the "Joe" was originally registered in the name of W. A. Allan, of Ottawa. Arnoldi purchased the yacht in the United States and paid the customs duties. Further on he admitted he had been given the boat by his brother-in-law, Mr. Weddie, in consideration of other private matters. He had her subsequently registered in Wilson's name in order to avoid notoriety. Lister created no little amusement by a rigid examination of Arnoldi regarding the expenses of the "Joe" the last fiscal year. The auditor-general's report shows that witness received during the season in all about $646. Of this amount $500 was paid Wilson for witness, the balance being made up of expenses charged by Arnoldi. During the year referred to Arnoldi combined business with pleasure in a cruise from Valleyfield to the head of Lake Ontario. Mrs. Arnoldi and several friends kept him comdany. It came out that the witness bought all supplies and furnished meals to the crew at 25 cents each. All this time Mr. Arnoldi drew $3.50 per day for government allowance for traveling expenses. Dovetailed in the accounts were various items for hack hire and railway fares en route. Turning to another phase of the subject, Arnoldi said his private transactions with Mr. W. A. Allan, of Ottawa, aggregated $60,000. Both visited Lockport together. In that city Arnoldi purchased dredges for Allan, securing a reduction of $500 on each. Witness admitted he had made a good bargain because he had given government orders to the dredging firm. Allan gave him substantial acknowledgement in the shape of a cheque.

Lister—Did you not declare here last year that you did not own the "Joe?"

Arnoldi—I was not under oath, and I think I evaded the question by stating that she was registered in Wilson's name.

Continuing, he admitted he had charged the Government for storage of dredging plant on his private property here. Arnoldi stated he dealt largely with Mr. Chanteloup, brass founder, Montreal, but never received any commission or rebate. The firm gave him a pipe, and last winter while in Montreal he ordered a handsome table, but thus far no bill had been received. A gold chain he wore was also a gift from the Chanteloups.

Arnoldi became very indignant when Lister asked him if the firm had given diamonds to Mrs. Arnoldi. "No, they didn't," he replied, "I am not a beggar on the street." Witness added that his daughter was given a brooch by Chanteloup. He had also taken a fancy three years ago to a horse then owned by a hotel keeper at Lacolle. John Wilson and witness visited the place together. Wilson paid $200 for the animal. Witness admitted he had not yet refunded the amount to his Montreal friend. He gave a history of the introduction of the incandescent systems of electric lighting in the Parliament buildings. The plants were put in by the United States Electric Light Company and the Edison. After a short time the United States system was discarded and the Edison plant retained. It came out under further examination that Charles Benton, agent for the Edison company in New York State, had presented Arnoldi with a pair of bronze dogs, valued at $500. The story is best told in his own words: "I took quite a fancy to them and mentioned it to Charlie. I said, 'Charlie, I wish you could steal them and drop them in my back yard.' This was in the store of Mitchell, Vance & Co., New York. The dogs, sure enough, were dropped into my yard." (Laughter.)

Arnoldi, continuing, went on to say he had precedents for his conduct. He claimed that Robert Steed and Charles Mackenzie, brother-in-law and brother of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, had drawn government money seventeen years ago under assumed names.

A moment later a scene occurred. Lister, interrupted by Sproule, grew furious, and, leaning over the table, he sarcastically imitated the deep, guttural voice of the member for East Gray. It sounded like this, "Br r-r-r-r." The uproar which followed was simply deafening. Chairman Wallace rebuked Lister for his want of dignity, and for a few moments his voice could not be overheard amidst the noisy clamor. Lister attempted to reply, but finally McMullen, Landerkin, and Mulock had their say. Witness came in for a severe handling for his flippancy, and the chairman was plainly told he had exceeded his functions. Foster and Bowell defended the chairman, and Lister finally explained that he was simply imitating Sproule.

Mulock moved that James Stewart and Watts, of Winnipeg, be summoned to explain items charged to civil government in Keewatin in connection with the patrol yacht Keewatin. He had a declaration from Stewart. He also read a communication addressed by Stewart to Ottawa and Winnipeg papers, asserting that the charges of the yacht Keewatin were excessive and incorrect, and added that it affected a high public official.

Foster suggested that the witnesses be not summoned until Gov. Schultz could be communicated with. This was agreed to. Witness will be sent for next week, unless the Lieut.-Governor makes satisfactory explanations in the meantime.

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By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Hall, July 29, 1891. jy30

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Until further notice the Saanich Road, from Market Street to Garbally Road, is closed to traffic.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

July 18, 1881. jly19

NOTICE

is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the Municipality of the City of Victoria for the year 1891, will sit at the Council Chambers, City Hall, on Tuesday, the 18th day of August next, at 11 a.m., when all complaints against the assessment as made by the City Assessor, shall be heard and considered.

Parties interested are requested to govern themselves accordingly.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
July 16, 1891. jly17-1m

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

RESPECTING THISTLES.

EVERY Owner, Lessee, Tenant, Occupier, or Agent for the Owner or Lessee of any land within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby notified to cut down, or cause to be cut down, any, and all thistles, growing upon such land, before such thistles shall have gone to seed or come to flower.

Any such person neglecting so to do, will be liable, upon conviction, to a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, June 4, 1891. je6

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G. C. SHAW.

Victoria, July 2, 1891. jly3

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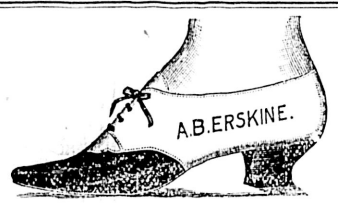

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NOTICES.

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HIS Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from the 11th day of August to the 24th day of October, 1891, both days inclusive, during which vacation, subject to the further provisions hereinafter contained, no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

2. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings, or the trial of causes triable or proposed to be tried, elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster, or Nanaimo.

3. Notwithstanding the next but one preceding Rule, and unless otherwise ordered in any case by the Court or a Judge, any trial may proceed in vacation when notice of trial has been given before vacation, or where an order shall have been made before vacation directing the trial during vacation, and for the purposes of any such trial, as mentioned in this Rule, amended pleadings may be ordered and delivered during vacation; and where in any case application is made for further time to deliver any pleading or to take any step in the cause; the effect of which would or might be to prevent notice of trial being served before the commencement of vacation, or the making before vacation of an order for trial, the Court or a Judge, in granting such further time, may impose upon the party applying for such further time the condition of going to trial during vacation, and thereupon such trial may proceed during vacation.

4. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with applications for judgments under Rule 75 of the "Supreme Court Rules, 1880," nor with the assessment of damages in cases of judgment by default.

5. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with the pending sittings of the Full Court, nor with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These Rules may be cited as "The Supreme Court Vacation Rules, 1891."

By Command.
A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th, July, 1891. jy31-2w

RESERVE, RENFREW DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all the surveyed Crown lands situated in the valleys of the San Juan and Gordon Rive have been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., May 4th, 1891. m5

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following tracts of land for timber purposes, situated on Observatory Inlet, Cassair District:—

1st—Brooke Island, situated on the west side of Paddy Passage; containing 800 acres, more or less.

2nd—Larcom Island, situated in the entrance of Hastings Arm; containing 3,100 acres, more or less.

3rd—One small island lying N. N. E. 1½ miles from Brooke Island; containing 180 acres, more or less.

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Georgetown Mills, B. C., July 10th, 1891.
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For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

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For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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The Colonist.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 1891.

DIED.

RAE—At the residence of her mother, 29 Elizabeth street, on Wednesday, August 5, Mabel Linda, only daughter of Mrs. G. L. Rae, aged 3 years.

The funeral will take place on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late home to the Ross Bay cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 6, 1891.
Sun rises.....4:12 a.m. | Sun sets.....7:30 p.m.
Moon rises 8:53 a,m.
Day of the year, 219th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug. 5, 1891.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	53°	Mean 57°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	53°		
9 a. m..	55°	Highest 65°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	65°		1 p.m.—8 miles S.
5 p. m..	58°	Lowest 51°	9 p.m.—12 miles S.
9 p. m..	57°		Rain—0.09.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Miss Willis, W Smith, F Barch and wife, C H Lalling and wife, J Irwin, Frank Searl, G Bronson and wife, A T Lowry, C Gritzwinger, Miss Gritzwinger, A H Hawes, L B Whytock, E Hodge, Thos Metcalfe and wife, J A Chapman, P W Chapman, A Walker, A Saunders, Saml Taylor, Miss Taylor, Mr McDonald, Mr Fisher, Miss McKay, Mrs Heary, Miss Heary, Miss Fay Heary, J F Scholl, J M Nicholas, E D Harper, C T McCotter, J Potts, P Ripliidge Mrs Clark, Miss Chapman, Miss Ellis, A E Ellis, Mrs Gilcarn, C Willis, Mrs G H Foster, Miss J Hill, A Schubert, A Trotter, W A McKillip, D A Smith, J Bassett, H O Corley, Jos House, H S Owen and wife, Mrs W A McKillip Mrs Marks, J Gosner, C J Woodbury, Mrs Law Miss Law, Miss Hansens, E Nelson and wife, Mrs Tilton, W Moffatt, R C Metcalfe and wife.

Per steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver:—O Miller, J E Ross, Mrs Spofford, C R King, F N Finney and wife, J P Brown and wife, J Law, Master Law, W A Edwards, Miss Sallie J White, Wing Kee, G F Slater, E E Rand, F Billingsley, S E King and wife, Ida Carmichael J C Maclure, R Switzer, C P Lowe, F Landsberg, A A Hathaway and wife, Miss W Bright, Misses Law (2), Cyrus Richardson, Coolidge Barnard, Miss Abbott, N Allan, E H Simon, L Davis, Mr Tunstall, J Gallsworthy, Raymond Exc Party (54 people).

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" Comet.....
" Falcon.....
" Daisy.....
" Port Townsend.
" "
" Westminster.
" Nanaimo.
" Chemainus.

OUTWARDS.

Str. Yosemite.....for Vancouver.
" Olympian.....
" City of Kingston.....
" Comet.....
" Falcon.....
" Daisy.....
" Port Townsend.
" "
" Vancouver.
" Vesuvius.
" Chemainus.

LOCAL.

A small fishing sloop brought in yesterday morning, over half a ton of salmon.

Str. Wellington, laden with coal for San Francisco, passed down early, yesterday morning, from Nanaimo.

The clam digger at the Outer wharf is being shifted into position, so that in a few days it will be ready to commence work.

Str. Daisy brought in a load of lumber from Chemainus, yesterday.

The sealing schooner C. D. Rand has returned to Vancouver, with no skins.

The sealers Oscar, Hattie and Geneva were reported beating in, yesterday, but had not arrived at midnight.

The Canadian Pacific Steamship Parthia is due from China and Japan ports, August 11th. and the Ss. Zambesi, of the Upton line, is due on 15th August.

EXCURSION.—Canada's National Park.—Banff and Return, $30. The Canadian Pacific Railway issue tickets, available for sixty days, with stop over privilege at Glacier and Mount Stephen (Field). For tickets, information, etc., apply at office, 75 Government street.
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LITTLE LOCALS.

The public schools, of Victoria, re-open next Monday.

Baby carriages and bird cages at CHEAPSIDE. *

Refrigerators and ice cream freezers at Weiler Bros. *

The August session of the County Court commences to-morrow.

August 14th is the date finally fixed upon for the production of the Twelve Temptations.

Lawn mowers and gardening tools at CHEAPSIDE. *

COTTON PONGEES, the lightest and coolest Dress Fabric for hot weather, at the City House. *1m

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The trial of Turner and Finlayson v. Wilson and Sabiston, which was set for yesterday, has been adjourned.

Robinson & Heikes' circus entertained the Chinese, in Chinatown, last evening, and did a good business.

John T. Pierce, merchant tailor, has removed to his new shop, Douglas street, two doors south of city hall. *

Preserving Kettles, all sizes, quality and prices, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Elegant new line of Antique Oak Furniture, of latest style and superior finish, just received at Weiler Bros. *

Family Scales and Preserving Kettles at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St. *

On Tuesday afternoon, a little four-year-old son of Officer Redgrave was badly burned by the upsetting of a stove.

Two foreign looking strangers are in this city, carrying on a vigorous canvass for subscriptions towards a new Greek church in Constantinople.

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Fruit Jars, in pints, quarts and half-gallons, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Dinner sets, Tea sets and general assortment of new goods, in china and glassware, at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Jelly Glasses and Fruit Presses at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

The Richmond Loan By-law, to raise $40,000 to build and repair roads, carried on Monday, 65 voting for and 52 against.

The Indians at Muskcream, on the Fraser river, intend giving a big potlatch in a month or so. The Indians from all over British Columbia are invited, and all manner of sports will be indulged in.

A car-load of reed and rattan goods, perambulators, etc., of latest designs, just received by Weiler Bros. *

A line of nice pocket knives, razors, scissors, and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

Some nice Mountain Goat Skin Rugs, at a low price, at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Emily Rosson, the irrepressible, was found at "Cap. Caffire's" house by Officer Redgrave, last evening. He will probably be prosecuted for harboring her.

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PERSONALS.

Dr. C. A. Tunstall, of Kamloops, is at the Driard.

Mrs. A. Marks, of San Francisco, is at the Driard.

Miss Abbott came over from Vancouver, yesterday.

J. C. Maclure arrived home from the Mainland, yesterday.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. L. Hall is visiting friends in Portland, Oregon.

Wm. N. Mears, the well known Tacoma railroad man, is in town.

A. H. Harris and wife, of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting Victoria.

Foster Macgurn went over to the Mainland, on business, this morning.

Francis Bourchier and wife returned srom England by the N.P.R., yesterday.

J. E. Boss and E. E. Rand were passengers by the Yosemite, last evening.

W. F. Bullen and family have gone to the country for rest and recreation.

Capt. D. A. Smith, of the Northern Pacific, at San Francisco, is in town.

Alexander Begg, prominently connected with crofter settlement, is expected in town within the next three or four days.

F. A. and Mrs. Finney, A. A. Hathaway and wife, J. P. and Mrs. Brown, J. H. Ladd, the Misses Ladd, and Miss Wright, form a touring party of Vancouverites, who are seeing Victoria before taking passage on the Queen, for Alaska.

W. T. Slavin, of Kamloops, took to himself a bride, in this city, last evening, with the assistance of Rev. P. McF. Macleod. Mr. and Mrs. Slavin were passengers for the Sound, by the City of Kingston.

Prof. A. Waterhouse, of the Washington University of St. Louis, Mo., a scholar of continental reputation, and a traveller of world-wide fame, is spending a few days in this city.

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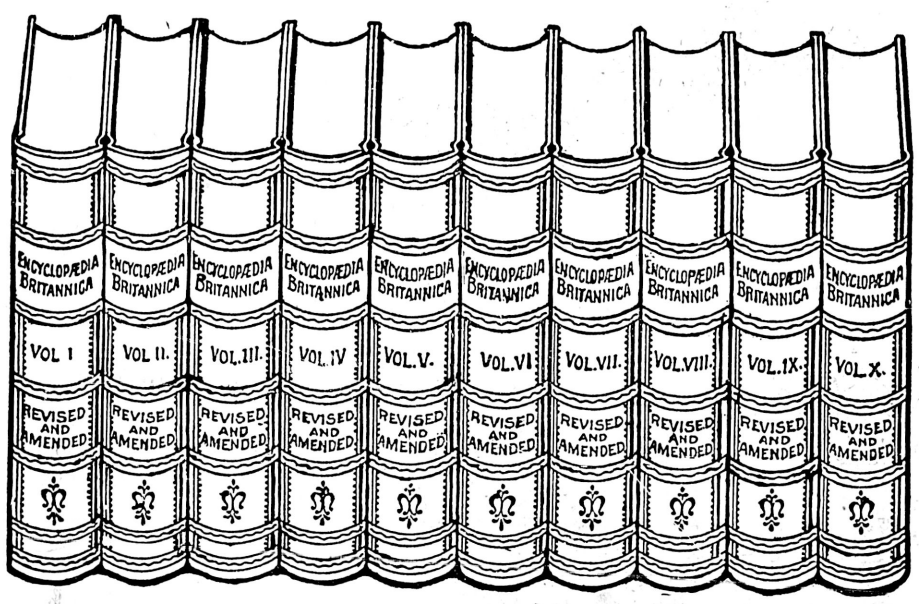

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